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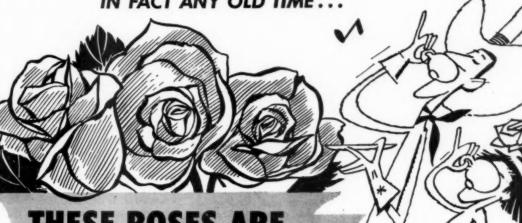
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### Editorial

### Happy New Year!

Although nurserymen look back upon a year of excellent business in this field and of general prosperity throughout the nation in other industries, they cannot but feel their optimism at the beginning of the new year dampened by the possible effect of sales recessions in other lines. The question is whether the public's inclination to buy will be reduced or, what is more serious, whether the public's ability to buy will be affected.

One underlying basis for a good year for nurserymen seems obvious. The recent easing of mortgage conditions and the reduction of bank discount rates have engendered optimistic predictions in the homebuilding field, and a total of 1,000,-000 starts in 1958 is predicted. If the figure is even close to that number when the year ends, ample sales by nurserymen for the future will be assured. But it is the homes completed, rather than those started, which nurserymen count on for immediate sales, and there are plenty of these on every hand. Between the increase in population and the demand for individual homes, rather than apartments, home-building developments continue apace in almost every large community.

The demand for homes of singlefamily occupancy also fosters the widening interest in gardening, which is furthered as well by the trend from cramped city quarters to spacious suburban homes. Gardening has become the topic of social conversation at parties where the merits of various TV sets or the new models of automobiles used to be discussed. By fostering that interest in gardening on the part of the public, nurserymen can maintain and even increase their sales volume for some time to come.

With the underlying demand still urgent and the interest in their

commodities' stronger than ever, nurserymen can overcome any tightening of the public's pocketbook by sales effort. This has become realized on the part of the industry in general, and individuals in particular, for not only is there much more serious discussion of sales problems and ways to meet them, but there is more actual concern with forming sales organizations and sales policies so as to put most certainly in the hands of the public the increasing quantities of trees, shrubs and other plant material ready for sale.

Already active in meeting the problem that will face them during the coming year, that of aggressive sales effort, nurserymen can look forward to another 12 months in the period of expanding production in the past decade. Their fortunes during the coming period will be in accordance with their efforts. The outlook for nurserymen is such that there is good reason for our optimistic greeting

of Happy New Year!

### JOB OPPORTUNITIES

Comments have appeared on this page about the excellent job opportunities in the nursery field for college graduates in horticulture and for others especially trained in this work. It should be remembered that the openings are opportunities to show of what the applicant is capable, not tailor-made, high-salaried jobs for one to step into.

The nurseryman, particularly if he be in some form of retail business, must have qualifications for operating a successful enterprise embracing far more than a knowledge of the various phases of horticulture. And those persons who expect to fill responsible positions in the employ of successful nurserymen must expect to widen their own capacity.

The retail nurseryman not only should have a knowledge of ornamental plants in general, but also, if he would succeed in business better than the average, or even up to the average, he should know a good deal about plant production, control of insects and diseases, and other phases of plant protection and growth concerning which the public wishes to be informed.

In addition, the knowledge that makes the nurseryman a good businessman includes packing and handling of his products, setting prices thereon, developing sales, advertising, use of statistics and, in fact, business administration in general. The latter topics are only beginning to be taught in connection with college courses in horticulture, but they are exceedingly important, and the more so as one advances in the field.

Knowledge of these subjects used to be gained only in the school of hard knocks, and perhaps anyone who studies them in college needs some further instruction in that old and tested school. So a job opening that presupposes a knowledge of horticulture and related topics will depend, for its rating as an opportunity, upon the beginner's ability to grasp the other phases of business knowledge. It depends upon the applicant as much as on the job itself.

### HOUSING STARTS

Because of nurserymen's interest in private housing starts as a measure of business to come, they learned with interest the report of the federal government's bureau of labor statistics that private housing starts will fall slightly below 1,000,000 this year, for the first time since 1949.

While a pickup in residential building has occurred the past autumn, the lag during the spring months has not quite been made up, on the basis of the bureau's report for the first 11 months of 1957. In that period a total of 926,700 starts was 10 per cent below the figure recorded a year earlier.

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The addition of public dwelling construction to private housing starts will probably make the total slightly in excess of 1,000,000 this year. The November total, both public and private, was 78,000. This was a seasonal drop from October's 95,000, but the bureau said it represented an annual rate of about 1,-010,000 starts.

Because of the lag in the first four months of the year, the over-all housing total will probably wind up the year slightly below the 1956 total of 1,093,000 starts and much below the record of 1,396,000 in

Because of the late 1957 pickup, it is estimated that about 1,100,000 new houses and apartments will be put under construction in 1958.

CELEBRATING their fiftieth year are the Grier Murseries, operated by E. T. Grier and his son, John W. Grier, at Forest Hill, Md. MAN

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New and holdover officers of the Wisconsin Nurserymen's Association elected at the recent Milwaukee meeting: Left to right, John Orton, director; Ralph Petranek, director; John Gartman, retiring president; Al Wetli, director; Thomas Pinney, secretary-treasurer; Vincent Frantal, president; Kenneth Greaves, vice-president; Wade Kumlien, director, and Ellsworth Oilschlager, director.

# Wisconsin Hears Reorganization Plan

By Doris Ann Krupinski

A major item of business at the convention of the Wisconsin Nurserymen's Association, held December 4 to 6 at the Hotel Schroeder, Milwaukee, was the election of officers, for whom a unanimous ballot was cast. The new officers are: President, Vincent Frantal, Frantal Nursery, Kenosha; vice-president, Kenneth Greaves, Greaves Landscape Nursery, Milwaukee, and secretary-treasurer, Thomas Pinney, Evergreen Nursery, Sturgeon Bay. Elected to the board of directors are Ellsworth Oilschlager, Nepco Lake Nursery, Port Edwards, and Wade Kumlien, Kumlien Nursery, Janesville. Past President John Gartman, Gartman's Gardens, Fond du Lac, will join the board as a member ex officio. In addition to the two new board members, four others remain from elections of other years. They are Richard Meland, Arrowwood Nursery, Madison; Ralph Petranek, Brown Deer Nursery, Milwaukee; Al Wetli, Wetli Landscape Service, Green Bay, and John Orton, Hawks Nursery, Wauwatosa.

### Proposes Reorganization

A proposal for the reorganization of the Wisconsin Nurserymen's Association was put before the group by Kenneth Greaves, who has been studying the problem for the past year. Mr. Greaves suggested forming regional divisions of the present membership and organizing related occupational groups, such as garden center operators and landscape ar-

chitects, as parts of the parent W. N. A. Each group would be allowed membership on the board of directors of the W. N. A. in relation to its number of members. Each individual would contribute a certain sum in addition to his dues to be put into a special fund for promoting the industry on a state-wide basis and for other purposes.

Mr. Greaves said that an increase in membership was not the only objective of such a plan. It would provide assurance that the specific problems of each regional or occupational group would receive proper attention and would also be a means of keeping garden center operators and others who are primarily salesmen of nursery stock informed on current practice in the care and handling of the stock in their stores.

In a discussion of Mr. Greaves' proposal, many members seemed to be of the opinion that the plan would, in effect, weaken or perhaps even dissolve the W. N. A., while others favored it with certain revisions and modifications. Mr. Greaves was appointed chairman of a committee to make further studies.

H. E. Halliday, of the plant industry division, state of Wisconsin, re-[Continued on page 51]



Winners in the contest on landscape design at the December meeting of the Wisconsin Nurserymen's Association: Left to right, Ralph Petranek, Brown Deer Nurseries, Milwaukee, third; Tom Lied, Lied Nursery & Landscaping, Milwaukee, first, and James Bennet, Hawks Nursery, Wauwatosa, second.

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# Wisconsin Short Course On Growing and Selling

By Doris Ann Krupinski

During the short course held December 4, 1957, at the Schroeder hotel, Milwaukee, in conjunction with the 41st annual convention of the Wisconsin Nurserymen's Association, grafting, propagation and tree surgery were among the subjects discussed on the growing level, while garden center merchandising and the Christmas tree business were covered at the sales level.

The first speaker of the day was Barney Sparkowski, of the Grant park nursery, which supplies the Milwaukee county park system with its landscape plants. The nursery, said Mr. Sparkowski, propagates and grows for annual distribution to other parks about 10,000 shrubs, 3,000 trees and 700 evergreens.

Mr. Sparkowski confined his discussion to malus and syringa grafts and the techniques he has found most successful with them. For understock, seedlings of northern-grown M. baccata are used, in the No. 1 grade (three-sixteenths-inch caliper). These are shipped in about the middle part of January and stored at a temperature of 40 degrees. About March 1, the collection of scions begins, and these are wrapped in moist (not wet) sphagnum and also stored at 40 degrees.

The speaker recommended a whip and tongue graft wrapped spirally with grafting tape, with gaps between each row of the spiral to allow examination of the graft. In this type of wrapping, where part of the union is in direct contact with the medium, callusing seems to be more rapid.

Beginning May 1, the grafts are planted in 42-inch rows, six to eight inches apart. An overhead watering system is used, and a tiller is employed in cultivation. For control of fungus and insects, Bordeaux, arsenate of lead and nicotine sulphate are used. The grafts are dug the following spring and lined out to grow in 5-foot nursery rows, two feet apart.

Although 130 varieties of malus are grown, including the newly developed varieties received from other arboretums and park systems, Mr. Sparkowski said that only 20 varieties are grown for general park purposes. They are arnoldiana, baccata, Beauty, Des Moines, Dolgo, Flame, Hopa, Katherine, Montreal Beauty, Niedzwetskyana, prunifolia, rinki, Red Flesh, Red Silver, sargenti, Scugog, Sun Dog, toringoides and Zumi.

### Lilac Propagation

The park system, the speaker said, propagates 166 varieties of syringa hybrids, and it is necessary to exercise the utmost care to keep these varieties true to name. With lilacs, the whip and tongue graft is also

used. For understock, Mr. Sparkowski prefers Amur north privet, which is grown in the park nursery from hardwood cuttings. These are preferable to seedlings because they produce understock of a more uniform size. The only reason lilacs are grafted in his nursery, the speaker explained, is because so many scions are received from other arboretums during the winter months.

In Mr. Sparkowski's opinion, lilacs grown on own roots from softwood cuttings are superior to grafts. The plant is sturdier, and there is more and better branching. Tip cuttings are made and treated with Hormodin No. 3. They are then inserted in vermiculite in the greenhouse bench and covered with plastic. An electric cable is used to maintain a temperature of 75 degrees until the cuttings are rooted, which may take anywhere from three to eight weeks, depending on variety.

After they are rooted, the plants are potted in 3-inch pots, which are put into coldframes and covered with sashes and burlap shade for about 10 days. After this period, lath frames are used.

By the time cold weather sets in, the cuttings are fairly well established and considerable top growth is achieved. After the first hard frost, when the soil is frozen in the bed, the plants are covered with marsh hay. Mr. Sparkowski commented that he has had more success in wintering them in this manner than by storing the potted grafts in a 40-degree building. In spring, the potted plants are lined out in regular nursery rows to grow, and survival is almost 100 per cent.

Among the varieties propagated [Continued on page 89]



Short course speakers at the December meeting of the Wisconsin Nurserymen's Association: Left to right, H. E. Halliday, Wisconsin plant industry division; Larry Wachtel, Wachtel Tree Service, Wauwatosa; Al Wetli, Wetli Landscape Service, Green Bay; Leland Jens, Jens Nursery & Landscape Co., Wisconsin Rapids, and Barney Sparkowski, Grant park nursery, Milwaukee.

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# Merchandising Stressed at Minnesota Convention

By Dorothy Phelps



Officers re-elected at the recent meeting of the Minnesota State Nurserymen's Association at Minneapolis: Left to right, Edward Reid, secretarytreasurer; Kimball Andrews, president, and Lawrence Bachman, vice-presi-

Kimball Andrews, Andrews Nursery Co., Faribault, Minn., was reelected president of the Minnesota Nurserymen's Association at the 32nd annual convention of the organization, which was held at the Curtis hotel, Minneapolis, December 2 and 3. Re-elections seemed to be the order of the day, with Lawrence Bachman, Bachman's, Inc., Minne-apolis, remaining as vice-president and Edward Reid, Holm & Olson, Inc., St. Paul, as secretary-treasurer. Elected to succeed themselves were Frank Seifert, Summit Nurseries, Stillwater, as a member of the nursery operating research committee; Russell Zakariasen, Homedale Nursery, Hopkins, as delegate to the 1958 A. A. N. convention, and Charles Hawkins, Rose Hill Nursery, St. Paul, as alternate. Kimball Andrews has another year to serve as A. A. N. convention delegate, and his brother, Richard Andrews, was elected to serve as his alternate. Charles Hawkins and Harry Francis, Lake City Nursery, Lake City, were re-elected to the executive board.

There were 143 registrations for the lively 2-day convention, which covered as much ground as the 3day conventions held in other years. With the exception of the election of officers and a few committee reports, the entire second day was given over to discussions of merchandising.

### Successful Retailing

M. J. McMahan, advertising manager for Red Owl, Inc., a highly successful food store chain in the upper midwest, talked about "Sales Sense in Retailing." To be successful in retailing, Mr. McMahan said, an enterprise must create its own personality. Whenever possible, this personality should be identified with a good trademark. He cited the large red owl which towers over each Red Owl store and is used on packages of food materials sold under the

Red Owl label. The big red owl makes advertising 50 per cent easier, he said, as it has come to represent friendliness and good quality.

It is important to capitalize on available opportunities, such as location, appearance, standards of quality and service. Supermarkets have proved the value of a good location. A busy location is not enough if traffic flows by so fast that it is hard to stop and park. Appearance is important, and must reflect the preferences of the type of customer the business is trying to attract. Strong guarantees as to quality can overcome the prejudice that is sometimes caused by the poor service of competitors.

### **Employee Training**

Proper selection and training of employees is invaluable, Mr. McMahan said. A firm cannot merchandise without the proper kind of peopleintelligent, courteous and morally stable. Red Owl, Inc., trains all employees to be courteous and friendly. Every employee who encounters a customer must smile and say "hello." If the customer asks a stock boy where an item may be found, he must stop what he is doing, go with her to the proper shelf and hand her the item requested. Boys in white shirts with bow ties take groceries to the customer's car, put the groceries in the car where directed, hold the car door for the customer and say "Goodbye." Have a nice weekend," or another suitable farewell. Signs in the store request "No tipping." Mr. McMahan said, "Courtesy is more than the act of not being rude. It extends into the realm of friendliness."

### Garden Store Merchandising

Jack Siebenthaler, the Siebenthaler Co., Dayton, O., began his discussion by outlining the requisites for successful garden store merchan-

dising. Accurate management is absolutely necessary, he said, and garden shop bookkeeping should be kept separate from that of the nursery or other divisions of the business. In the beginning, professional consultation help, at least on a part-time basis, may be necessary in the management, architectural and merchandising aspects of the business. A garden center should sell plant materials primarily and not depend too much on gifts, novelties and other hard goods, which are excellent items, but should not overbalance the real business of a garden store. The man who goes into this business should have a progressive attitude toward merchandising and be able to use modern methods. Employees and stock boys must be carefully trained.

Siebenthaler's garden center is located on the nursery grounds, where the company has been in business since 1868. The reputation of the firm and the availability of ample parking space were the bases for the choice of this site. This judgement has been justified by the subsequent volume of business, although there is not the flow of traffic considered so important by some experts in this field

Mr. Siebenthaler said that yearly gross sales are distributed as follows: Between 45 and 50 per cent in nursery stock, an additional 40 to 45 per cent in dry goods (fertilizer, weedkillers, tools) and foliage plants, and 10 per cent in seed and grass items. Price markups vary from 30 per cent to 300 per cent, depending on the item.

### Use of Display Space

Maximum attractive use of display space is highly important, the speaker said. He described ways in which this principle is put into practice at Siebenthaler's garden center, including the use of display counters

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# Wintering Stock and Design Topics at Minnesota Course

By Dorothy Phelps

A panel on winter damage was first on the agenda of the 32nd annual convention of the Minnesota State Nurserymen's Association held December 2 and 3 at the Curtis hotel, Minneapolis. Dr. Leon Snyder, head of the department of horticulture, University of Minnesota, St. Paul; Walter Trampe, supervisor, section of nursery and orchard inspection, Minnesota state department of agriculture, and R. J. Stadtherr, of the university's department of horticulture, took part in the panel, with Mr. Stadtherr serving as moderator.

Dr. Snyder listed three types of winter injury—suffocation, desiccation and ice formation inside the plant. Suffocation occurs when ice and compacted snow smother plants, especially perennials, low evergreens, shrubs and lawn, Desiccation is caused by evaporation, which dehydrates woody plants. If the moisture is not replaced through the roots, damage occurs. The primary cause of winter damage, Dr. Snyder said, is ice formation inside the plant.

As winter approaches, plants prepare themselves for cold by increasing the amount of soluble sugars and decreasing the amount of free water in their circulatory systems, thus reducing the chance of ice crystal formation. These natural functions account for certain plants' being able to withstand extremely cold winters.

Effects of winter damage, Dr. Snyder said, are death of the plant, discoloration as a result of desiccation, dieback of growth and flower bud injury to flowering shrubs and plants. Extreme cold causes a splitting of tree bark and injury to the crotches, and may cause sunscald on thin-barked trees.

### Winter Injury Survey

Mr. Trampe discussed a questionnaire on winter injury to crops that was sent to nurserymen in Minnesota. Through the use of this questionnaire over a period of years, it is hoped that enough information will be gathered so that experiments may be set up to find out what precautions can be taken to prevent winter damage. The Red river valley and the southwest part of the state suffered the greatest damage, with the least damage in the southeast portion of the state.

Many Minnesota nurserymen reported injury to maple trees. Mr. Trampe believes that this injury was not entirely due to winter damage, but may have been due to a lack of hardiness in the seed stock. Maple trees planted too deep have not fared well, because of a lack of oxygen in the root zone. Examinations of root specimens at the University of Minnesota have shown a

heavy population of nematodes in some cases. Experiments with nematicides are being made.

According to the nurserymen, arborvitae seems to be most susceptible to winter injury. Globe, pyramid and American arborvitae were affected, with American arborvitae giving the least trouble. Pines showed some damage, especially individual trees of Norway and white pine. Where set in groves, the trees suffered less damage. There was little or no damage on Black Hills or Colorado spruce.

Most damage to arborvitae, Mr. Trampe said, appears to be caused by desiccation due to a lack of soil moisture in the fall and to frozen soil, which prevents a supply of water to the roots during the winter. A dry spring season may be responsible. Irrigation for susceptible plants was recommended. Snow cover is important. On a well-balanced soil there is less damage than on a soil that is out of balance as far as nutrients are concerned.

Mr. Stadtherr commented on trouble with chlorosis in the northwest part of the state, especially in the Red river valley area. Experiments conducted at Crookston indicated that a chlorotic condition has a bearing on winter damage, as it weakens the plants and leaves them more susceptible.

### Wintering Container Stock

Discussing the growing importance of canned nursery stock in Minnesota, Mr. Stadtherr said that it is important to find out how this stock may be kept over winter with as little damage as possible. He re-

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Discussing the highly successful merchandising sessions at the recent Minnesota State Nurserymen's Association convention are, left to right, Ken Law, Law's Valley View Nursery, Hastings; Jack Siebenthaler, Siebenthaler Co., Dayton, O.; William A. Elling, Elling's Nursery, St. Paul; Richard Andrews, Andrews Nursery Co., Faribault, and Dr. Richard P. White, executive vice-president of the American Association of Nurserymen, Washington, D. C.

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# Research And Panels Highlight New York Course

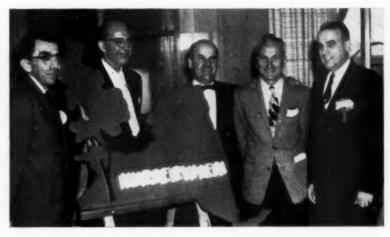
By A. M. S. Pridham

The short course for New York nurserymen held at Statler Hall, Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y., December 3 to 5, enjoyed a record attendance of 178. Thirty-two came by Lackawanna railroad special car to Owego and then by bus to Ithaca. This is the third special train for Long Island nurserymen organized by Charles Mouquin for the occasion.

The committee in charge of the short course included Clarence Vanderbrook, C. W. Stuart Co., Newark, N. Y., and Al Synesael, Jackson & Perkins, Co., Newark, co-chairmen of the educational and research committees for the New York State Nurserymen's Association. Louis Weinstock, Poundridge Nurseries, Inc., Poundridge, N. Y., president of the association; Merton Congdon, Congdon's Wholesale Nursery, North Collins; Powers Taylor, Rosedale Nurseries, Inc., Hawthorne; John Kelly, Kelly Bros. Nursery, Dansville; David Bulk, Bulk's Nurseries, Babylon, L. I.; Peter Costich, Hicks Nursery, Westbury, and Floyd Guernsey, F. A. Guernsey, Schoharie, completed the short course committee for the nurserymen.

Proceedings began with registration at 7 p. m. and a buffet supper in the exhibit room. A display of student drawings made under the guidance of Mrs. Elizabeth L. Burckmyer and Jack Lambert lent a pleasant atmosphere to the room. Landscape plans by students under Prof. Robert Scannell set the theme for panel discussions.

Exhibits on packaging included the Cornell Aqua Pack for marketing mixed bouquets of flowers ar-



New officers and convention committee members of the New York State Nurserymen's Association at the recent short course held at Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y.: Left to right, Sidney Bennett, Valhalla, treasurer; Dr. A. M. S. Pridham, Cornell University, local chairman; Charles Mouquin, Glen Head, L. I., committee member; Louis Weinstock, Poundridge Nurseries, Poundridge, N. Y., president, and Clarence Vanderbrook, C. W. Stuart & Co., Newark, co-chairman of research and educational committee with Al Synesael, Jackson & Perkins Co., not shown.

ranged for home decorations. The do-it-yourself Christmas greens kit was also shown. This kit was developed by Profs, L. S. Hamilton and G. R. Cunningham, of the department of conservation, and is based upon Christmas tree farming operations, but has special interest for nurserymen as well. The greens are marketed along with red ribbon and wire in polyethylene bags.

Other exhibits explained the water-holding capacity of P. A. 100 perlite and sterilite in comparison to peat, vermiculite and soil as media for grown plants in containers. The lightweight P. A. 100 perlite will hold almost double the amount of water retained by composted soil. More of this water is available for plant growth than is the case with peat, soil or the usual soil mixtures prepared for growing plants in containers.

The exhibit exciting most interest was a group of numbered but unnamed twigs of landscape plants, set up by Ira Reed, Cornell. The group contained a couple of duplicate specimens of koelreuteria and Lonicera nitida. A group of evergreen twigs provided by Bernard Harkness, of the Rochester parks department, included a Cedrus atlantica that caused comment, since that plant is not regarded as hardy in New York state, and Prunus laurocerasus.

### Tour of Research

The tour of research activities centered on the topics of irrigation and water relations, weed killers and growth regulators. At Riley-Robb Hall, department of agricultural engineering, Prof. Carl S. Winkelbleck explained the action of the irrometer of the T. W. Prosser Co. and of other equipment designed to indicate the stress with which moisture is held by the soil in opposition to its free availability to the plant for growth. Crop response to such dryness, or stress, is found as a slowing up in the rate of increase in fruit size, or of leaves and stems in length.

The growth of plants in containers to which water was provided daily in amounts to retain soil moisture at a minimum for stress and maximum for available water was shown by Gilbert Kostelec. In this case maximum growth in stem length and size of caryopteris plants was obtained when high-level moisture and fertilizer were maintained over the growth period. Approximately one-fourth inch of water per day was required to maintain these conditions. A robot watering device shown by Professor Winkelbleck delivers this amount—two inches per week. Normal rainfall is close to three inches per month in New York state. The irrigation would thus be three times normal rainfall.

### **High-Moisture Fertilizing**

The fertilizer used was of 20-20-20 composition, applied at a rate of 400 pounds per acre per week. Increased growth was obtained from double this amount under high-moisture level, but four times the amount of fertilizer was detrimental. Increases in growth as measured by stem length was marked as compared to unfertilized plots. Similar growth response was found in caryopteris planted in soil beds receiving

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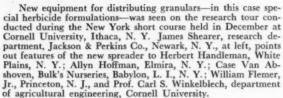
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Prof. John Nitsch, Cornell University, Ithaca, and Hewlett Lewis, Lewis & Valentine, Greenvale, N. Y., agree at New York nurserymen's short course that long days of 18 hours are a major factor in stimulating plant growth under standard and uniform cultural conditions. Results with lengthening day periods are believed to be more consistent and possibly more practical than with the use of gibberellic acid derivatives for growth stimulation of slow-growing ornamentals. Tests of both techniques for speeding plant growth were viewed at the university's research facilities by the convention group.

comparable water and fertilizer, but increasing daylight hours did not modify growth in size, though flowering was inhibited by 1-hour exposure to light during the night. Data on hardiness of high-moisture fertilizer plants are not available at this

The quantities of water used in irrigation were equivalent to two to three acre feet per year. This quantity is similar to that reported for crop production in irrigation areas. Another instance of use of irrigation in field production of nursery crops was cited by William Flemer, Jr., for a nursery at Milton, Ore., where furrow-type irrigation is used to flood the soil in nursery operations. In a recent study of irrigation in deciduous tree crops in California, from two to four acre feet of water is used in commercial plantings.

The importance of ample water and fertilizer after planting and during the early growing season was stressed as important in New York state as well as in areas where irrigation is standard practice in crop and nursery plant production.

### Chemical Distributor

Distribution equipment for granular weedkillers, fertilizer and pest control chemicals in granular formulation was shown by James Shearer, of the Jackson & Perkins Co. The equipment was a Skibbe spreader used for applying granular weed-killers, mainly CIPC formulated on agrilite ( a large particle size of perlite). Dinitro and other weedkillers were also applied with this equipment. Fall application of granular herbicides has been followed under Mr. Shearer's direction in nursery plantings for the past several years,

with good results.

During the panel discussion given later in the day on the use of granular weedkillers, Hank Weller, propagator for C. W. Stuart, Newark, N. Y., reported on the successful use of granular CIPC formulated on attaclay and used after planting of hardy chrysanthemums. Weed control cost in terms of hand weeding was reduced by 60 per cent. Control of chickweed was also shown in lantern slides and other pictures.

During the tour, experimental results with as low poundage as one pound active CIPC per acre was shown by Dr. A. M. S. Pridham, of Cornell University. During 1957, better control under field conditions was obtained from four to 12 pounds of CIPC-SES formulation. The addition of the SES under field conditions of moist soil and active seed germination shows prompt kill of seedling weeds and of a wider range of weed species. The desirable safety factor of CIPC is retained. The prolonged residual action resulting in one to as much as four months' weed control is also retained. Granular Simazin, used experimentally, was shown in greenhouse test plots. The results verified those of excellent weed control with Simazin under field conditions in roses and the ground covers myrtle (vinca), pa-chysandra, iberis and euonymus. Residual action is good, but experience with nursery crop reaction is

limited to two seasons. In both cases crops have been free of damage where granular formulations of Simazin have been used. Rates of two pounds to 10 pounds of active Simazin (Giegy) have been used. Many perennial weeds are controlled.

### Portable Units

Other equipment shown included the Dyna Fog, Jr., by Harder Ex-terminator Service, Inc., for mos-quito control and other purposes. Dr. Gordon R. Nielsen, department of entomology, demonstrated a portable mist blower. Both of these small units are of interest in application of pesticides for limited nursery areas or for small-property maintenance. At present they are specialty items.

In addition to research already noted, other projects include defoliation of roses with DEF or with Folex. Regrowth has been prompt and normal. Many crops respond well. Other research of the department of floriculture and ornamental horticulture called to the nurserymen's attention included growth studies with day length and gibberellic acid as factors in the increased growth of plants. The results were shown by Prof. John Nitsch.

Two main lines of research were shown:

Long days make trees grow. Exhibited were birch, Japanese maple, Lespedeza thunbergi, red oak, white pine and Norway spruce. Days of 16 to 24 hours in length caused these plants to put on two to 20 times more growth than short days of 12 hours

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# Nebraska Meeting on Highway Planting

Highway planting was one of the featured topics at the annual convention of the Nebraska Association of Nurserymen held December 9 and 10 at the Cornhusker hotel, Lincoln. Expectations that the small as well as the large nurseryman would be able to profit from roadside planting on the proposed interstate highway in Nebraska were given a good boost. Registering for the 2-day meeting were approximately 50 nurserymen and guests, who heard talks on tax saving, irrigation and disease problems.

Newly elected as officers of the association were Ben Swanson, Grand Island Nursery, Grand Island, president, and Lloyd Marshall, Marshall Nurseries, Arlington, vice-president. Re-elected as secretary-treasurer was James Elliott, Plumfield Nurseries, Inc., Fremont.

During the business session, Chester Marshall and Gilbert Pike, both of the Marshall Nurseries, and Harvey Williams, Williams Nursery, Lincoln, were elected directors of the Nebraska Nurserymen's Research Corp., a nonprofit group, com-posed of members of the nurserymen's association, formed to assist the state agricultural college and experiment station in plant research. Mr. Swanson and Mr. Elliott as president and secretary-treasurer, respectively, of the Nebraska association, automatically are on the board. In order to have a member of the state agricultural college and experiment station on the board, Dr. Victor Miller, chairman, department of horticulture, University of Nebraska, Lincoln, and Glenn Viehmeyer, University of Nebraska experiment station, North Platte, were elected honorary members of the association and later elected to the board of directors of the Nebraska Nurserymen's Research Corp.

At a chapter meeting of the American Association of Nurserymen, Lloyd Moffet, Plumfield Nurseries, Inc., was elected delegate to the 1958 convention, and Vernon Marshall, Marshall Nurseries, was chosen alternate.

### **Highway Planting**

Arousing considerable interest and receiving much publicity in the local newspaper was the session Monday afternoon, December 9, on highway landscaping. Ted Wilding, the newly appointed state landscape architect, gave a graphic presentation of how landscape materials can be used

along the newly planned Nebraska interstate highway. He pointed out that landscaping of highways needs to be planned before the roads are built. Aerial photographs aid in this planning, for many trees can be saved as a result of consulting the pictures.

The interstate highway in Nebraska will have 13,500 acres of roadside, he related. For a mile of road, there will be nine acres of concrete and 27 acres of roadside. It is hoped, said Mr. Wilding, that rest areas can be placed every 25 miles, or 30 minutes of driving time, apart; such areas will encompass three or four acres of land, with one to one and one-half acres for parking.

Mr. Wilding pointed out that highway planting would increase the land value of residential areas, serve as traffic guidance and relieve monotony. Plants that are hardy in Nebraska will need to be used, he emphasized; he did not believe plantings were necessary where there was little vegetation in the surrounding area.

The state landscape architect urged nurserymen to be growing native plant materials, for the highway plantings will be tied into the native material that is already growing. There will have to be much cooperation between the nurseryman and the highway landscape architect, so the latter will know what plant material and how much is available.

Augmenting the remarks of Mr.



Officers of the Nebraska Association of Nurserymen named at the group's recent meeting at Lincoln: Left, Ben Swanson, elected president, and James Elliott, reelected secretary-treasurer. Lloyd Marshall, elected vice-president, is not shown. Wilding, Dr. Richard P. White, executive vice-president of A. A. N., complimented the highway department, several members of which were present, on hiring a qualified architect to aid in the preplanning of the highways. Dr. White pointed out that the highway landscaping of each state must be considered separately, for the topography of each state is different.

Illustrating the value of employing the services of a landscape architect in planning a highway, Dr. White called attention to the New Jersey turnpike and the Garden State parkway. The latter was planned with the services of Oliver Deakin and avoided many of the mistakes of the former. The traffic fatality rate is 3 to 1, with the turnpike having the higher figure. There is too little parkway provided for the turnpike, and driver hypnosis results from the monotony of the landscape.

Turfing will continue to be important in highway landscaping, but shrubs, trees and ground cover can help reduce maintenance expense. Dr. White pointed out that this expense will be borne by the states, so they should be very interested in the possibilities offered through highway planting.

In concluding, Dr. White urged nurserymen to write their state highway commission to stress the need for planted highways. The department of public roads is in favor of it, he added, but the decision for highway planting will be up to the states. It is necessary to rouse groups to accomplish this end.

### Tax Saving

"Methods of Tax Savings for the Small Business" was the topic of Vern Moseman, C. P. A. from Grand Island. Opening the program Tuesday morning, December 10, he discussed the subject of depreciating equipment. The straight-line methed involves taking a fixed percentage of the cost for depreciation allowance each year, while use of the declining balance means that twice the percentage in the straight-line method can be taken the first year and the same percentage taken the following years on the difference between the cost and the depreciation already taken. The latter method will serve to write off the equipment faster, but this is not always advan-

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# Beginning in the Nursery Business

Chapter 4. Mail-Order Nurseries

By John J. Pinney

One of the most fascinating ways of selling nursery stock is by mail. If you think you have any talent for advertising, merchandising, sales letter writing or catalog building, the mail-order business will afford you an ample opportunity to demonstrate it.

Some folks are temperamentally unable to deal with the public face to face in the manner necessary to become successful over-the-counter retailers, but can write letters that will please the customers. If you are one of these, we suggest for you the mail-order business over the other types of nursery business because you will rarely see your customers.

It should be stated at the outset that you will have to build your mail-order business rather slowly, unless you are prepared to make an initial investment of a considerable sum of money. It takes a lot of money to print catalogs that will pull orders. About the only way to build an effective mailing list is to conduct an advertising campaign, and such campaigns are costly.

### Competitive Element

Another word of caution: The methods of selling nursery stock are changing. Retail nurseries and garden centers are springing up in large numbers all over the country, many in communities that formerly had no nurseries. Their presence reduces the necessity of ordering nursery stock by mail. This trend is certain to have its effect on the mail-order nursery business, which may encounter some rough going.

Although one of the oldest types of nursery business, the mail-order nursery made a phenomenal growth after World War I. Prior to 1925, the mail-order nurseries of the country could have been counted in dozens. Today they run into the hundreds.

The most rapid development of the mail-order nursery business was concurrent with the early growth of radio broadcasting. Direct selling by radio reached its peak in the "roaring 20's." Multitudes of folks enjoyed the novelty of shopping on the air, but nurseries selling by radio soon found that in order to get the greatest benefit from their radio advertising they had to follow up by sending catalogs to their customers. Today, direct selling of nursery stock by radio is of minor importance, but radio remains a standard medium of advertising for mail-order nurseries, along with magazines and newspapers.

### Catalog Use Greater

There are still many towns all over the country, some of them fairly large, that have no nurseries. The folks in these towns either have to drive considerable distances to buy their trees and shrubs or else buy by mail. The latter method is chosen by many as the easier. Old-established nurseries that used to make all their sales by personal solicitation are finding it increasingly difficult to hire salesmen. Some of these firms have decided to issue catalogs to supplement the work of their salesmen.

The reasons are hard to analyze, but it is a fact that nearly everyone likes to receive packages by mail, express or freight.

The largest mail-order houses in the country maintain regular nursery departments in their catalogs or issue special catalogs of nursery stock. Beginning in a small way not many years ago, these departments have grown to such large proportions that today they are among the largest distributors of nursery stock in the United States.

Your mailing list is your most valuable asset. To the building of it you should devote your utmost skill and your most careful attention. There are several ways of advertising to secure names for your list. You may decide to use any or all of them.

### Two Goals Outlined

There are two theories of advertising nursery stock for the retail trade. One holds that the advertisements should offer specific items for sale, stating the price and soliciting orders direct from the advertisements. Thus the advertiser obtains a name for his mailing list, and the profit from the sale helps defray the cost of the advertising. The other theory upholds the institutional type of advertising. Specific items may or may not be offered, but the chief purpose of the advertisement

is to arouse enough interest in the advertiser's product on the part of the reader to spur him to action, the action consisting of sending for a catalog. The chief purpose of any advertising you do will be to build your mailing list with the names of people you know are interested in nursery stock. Your problem will be to decide what kind of advertising to do—whether direct selling, institutional or both—and what media to use—newspapers, magazines or radio.

The kind of nursery stock you plan to sell and the territory in which you want to sell it are prime considerations in deciding how to spend your advertising budget. Let us suppose you have decided you want to sell mostly fruit trees and fruit plants. Oviously your best markets are not in the large cities or urban areas, but in small towns and farming sections. Accordingly you would not advertise in the big city newspapers, but in the farm press and in small town newspapers.

### Selecting Media

Now, let us suppose that you plan to confine your territory to four or five states, the ones that you can serve the best. Advertisements in magazines with a national circulation would be wasteful, because your inquiries would come from all over the country. Make up a list of the publications that circulate in the territory you want to develop; send for sample copies, advertising rates and breakdowns of circulation. With this informatiion you can decide which publications give you the best coverage.

For nation-wide coverage, the garden and home magazines give best results. The advertising rates in most of those magazines are high; so you will have to use good judgment in deciding what and when to advertise and in preparing copy. Bear in mind that in magazines with large circulation space must be reserved a long time in advance and copy must be mailed many weeks ahead of publication date.

One successful mail-order nurseryman obtains most of his names from advertisements in daily papers, especially Sunday editions of papers that maintain garden departments.

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# A Busman's Holiday

Part VII. The West Coast of California

By A. O. Rasmussen

Saturday, September 21, my wife and I started south along Route 101 in California. The sun's rays were trickling through the giant redwoods, which presented a colorful sight as we approached Arcata, the largest lumber center in the world. The attractive boulevard plantings of dahlias at intersections were pleasing. A blue and gold information sign of the California agricultural extension service was located at the entrance to Eureka. Here we began to see evidences of vistas other than forests. A large dairy herd was browsing in an open irrigated field, close to the shore line.

Californians are beauty and conservation-conscious, as was evidenced by one large sign, "Don't burn up my paycheck, keep the redwood section green."

### The Redwoods

About 31 miles south of Eureka we came upon the many famous redwood trees. In this area are such trees as "The Oldest Tree Known," this is one of the giant sequoias, estimated to be about 4,000 years old; the world's tallest standing tree, the "Founder's Tree," 357 feet tall, located in Humboldt State Redwood park; "Chimney Tree," in which is located a burl gift shop; the "One-Log House"; "Eternal Tree House"; "Stump House"; "The Reincarnation Tree," and, last but not least, the "Chandelier Tree," at Underwood park, 315 feet high, with a diameter of 21 feet at its base.

The biggest living tree is the "General Sherman" big tree, in Sequoia National park. This specimen is about 115 feet in circumference and 275 feet in height, and its volume is estimated at 600,120 board feet.

Some of the principal trees noted in Oregon and northern California were the common hackberry (40 to 60 feet); sweet gum (80 to 120 feet); American yellowwood (50 to 60 feet); tulip tree, or yellow poplar (100 to 160 feet); Oregon white oak (60 to 80 feet); northern red oak (60 to 90 feet); pin oak (50 to 80 feet); big-leaved maple (60 to 80 feet); Pacific madrone, a round-topped, broad-leaved evergreen (60 to 80 feet); California sycamore; European linden; green ash; rock elm, and eastern black walnut.

Some of the additional evergreens



Green Sprout garden center, owned and operated by Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Wakeham, near Santa Paula, Calif.

were the Atlas cedar (90 to 100 feet); California incense cedar (80 to 100 feet); Himalayan pine (120 to 150 feet); Douglas fir (160 to 180 feet), and the Lawson cypress. The deodar cedar, cedar of Lebanon, and the shore pine were also to be found from the Columbia river basin down to northern California.

In the California area, particularly noticeable were California live oak (30 to 75 feet); camphor tree (20 to 40 feet); red ironbark (50 to 60 feet); southern magnolia (25 to 60 feet); cape chestnut (50 to 60 feet); California peppertree (30 to 50 feet); Carolina poplar (40 to 100 feet); velvet ash, Montebello and Modesto forms (30 to 40 feet); Lon-

don plane tree (30 to 70 feet); ginkgo (40 to 50 feet); Chinese pistacia (40 to 60 feet); southern red oak (50 to 70 feet); California black walnut (50 to 70 feet); white mulberry, Kingan fruitless variety (30 to 40 feet), and the panicled goldenrain tree, (20 to 30 feet).

The pin oak, sweet gum and Norway maple were in particular evidence in the area from San Francisco to Los Angeles. The canary pine (60 to 80 feet) and Coulter pine (50 to 80 feet) are both adapted as specimen trees in the open countryside.

There is a difference between the giant sequoia big tree and the redwood. The giant sequoia is found only on the middle slopes of the Si-



Patio of Green Sprout garden shop, with evergreens and other container stock displayed under lath.

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Robert's Florist & Garden Center, Santa Maria, Calif.

erra Nevada mountains in California, whereas the redwood (sequoia sempervirens) grows only along the Pacific coast from Monterey county northward to the Oregon line. The giant sequoia has scalelike leaves, whereas the redwood has needlelike leaves.

California ranks fourth in the number of different kinds of trees, being exceeded only by Florida, Texas and Georgia, in that order.

The sugar pine, found along the Pacific coastal area, produces the longest pine cones, many of them exceeding 20 inches in length.

Leaving the spectacular redwood forest area, we drove to Ukiah, in the scenic Russian river valley. We arose early Sunday, September 22, to drive about the town, attractively planted with London planes, hawthorn, yews, privets, evergreen euronymus, flowering crab apples, dogwood and pyracantha.

### Approach to San Francisco

As we left Ukiah we saw many fine apple and pear orchards, hop fields and dairy farms. We arrived at Cloverdale, an enterprising little village noted for its wineries, vine-yards, finished wood products, mining and general agriculture. The citrus fair, one of the most unusual of its kind in the country, is held every year in the ultramodern pavilion. A traditional ram sale attracts buyers and sellers of sheep to Cloverdale from many western states.

Our curiosity was aroused, a few miles further east, by a large sign inviting visitors to inspect the Asti Wine Co. We drove in by the picturesque building, near which many cars were parked, and found we were just in time to participate in a guided tour, given many times daily.

After lunch at nearby Geyserville,

we continued on through the colorful prune, grape and walnut-growing areas to the freeway at Santa Rosa. Santa Rosa is noted as the home of Luther Burbank, renowned horticulturist, who is buried beneath a cedar of Lebanon in a garden.

We continued to San Rafael, the site of Mission San Rafael Archangel, known as the hospital mission, and from there on to the spectacular Golden Gate bridge, a \$35,000,000 engineering marvel, which we crossed at 4 p.m. and then drove on to a motel.

### Sightseeing

We were informed that several tours were available for travelers and decided to indulge in the Chinatown-after-dark trip. For a nominal fee we were conducted by bus, with a licensed Chinese guide, to visit the largest Chinese settlement outside the Orient. The party visited the Chinese temple of worship, Oriental art studio, unique shops, Old World Chinese buildings and the Chinese telephone exchange. The group was then conducted through the famous Wall street of the west and the old Barbary coast, then taken up Telegraph hill for a panoramic view of the city, bridges and Bay area at night. Another stop was made at picturesque Fishermen's wharf, after which we returned by way of Knob Hill to our motel. This 21/2-hour tour is something long to be remembered.

The following morning we decided to see San Francisco proper and took a taxi to Fishermen's wharf and inspected the many wares offered by the concessionaires. We lunched at world-famous DiMaggio's, the restaurant operated by the well-known DiMaggio brothers of baseball fame.

After lunch we joined other trav-

elers on a bay cruise. This thrilling 2-hour trip starts at Fishermen's wharf and one sees such sights as Fort Mason, with its army transport docks; the Marina, site of the 1915 World's Fair, Golden Gate bridge, from below; Sausalito, a picturesque village; Angel island; Treasure island, scene of the 1939-1940 World's Fair; the federal prison at Alcatraz, known as The Rock; the San Francisco-Oakland bay bridge, and the picturesque Ferry building. Back at our starting point, we had dinner before returning to our motel, to change into appropriate attire to join another group of travelers in a nightlife party tour, which wound up at the "Top of the Mark." We took the elevator 19 floors to view one of the most spectacular sights we have ever seen-San Francisco at

San Francisco has a population of over three-quarters of a million. It is the terminus of many trans-Pacific and coast-wise steamship lines, a great port and industrial city, the financial center of the west and perhaps one of the most interesting cities in the United States. Balboa park, John McLaren park, Mission park and Golden Gate park, all located within the city, are known the world over. The sidewalk flower stands were of particular interest to us, showing many types of flowers unfamiliar to easterners.

### South to Los Angeles

Tuesday morning, September 24, we left San Francisco on Route 101 to San Jose, the oldest incorporated city in California. This area is a famous fruit-growing region, with important canning industries and packers of dried fruits. The Municipal Rose Garden, Rosicrucian Temple, the City Museum and the planetarium are of special interest to the traveler. Many small fruit and vegetable farms, interspersed with cattle ranches, are to be found along this highway.

Farther south is Salinas, where many farms growing lettuce, sugar beets and artichokes were seen. The sugar beets are processed in a large refinery. To the right of the highway are the flower and vegetable seed fields of the Ferry-Morse Seed

We were fascinated by a plant which is used as a ground cover in boulevard planting in this area. Upon inquiring of one of the highway supervisors, we found that it was the mesembryanthemum, or ice plant. This seems to cover the ground rapidly in this arid area.

We followed our route southward [Continued on page 112] YMAN

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# Plant Propagators Meet, Hear Talks at Cleveland

By F. C. Galle

A registration of 196 members and guests marked the Plant Propagators' Society meeting held at Wade Park Manor, Cleveland, O., November 20 to 23. There were members from 24 states at the meeting; Canada, England and Germany were also represented.

New officers elected for 1958 are Hugh Steavenson, Forrest Keeling Nursery, Elsberry, Mo., president; Roy Nordine, Morton Arboretum, Lisle, Ill., vice-president; Dr. Kenneth Reisch, Ohio State University, Columbus, secretary, and Dr. John Mahlstede, Iowa State University, Ames, editor. Two new members of the executive committee are Arthur Lancaster, Portsmouth, Va., and John Ravenstein, Mentor, O.

Two new members of the nominating committee are George Rose, Shenandoah, Ia., and John Roller, Scottsville, Tex. New members of the field trials committee appointed were chairman, Fred C. Galle, Chipley, Ga.; J. H. Tingar, Virginia Polytechnic Institute, Blacksburg; Dr. J. P. Nitsch, Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y.; Hans Hess, Mountain View, N. J., and John Vermeullen, Neshanic Station, N. J.

Dr. William E. Snyder, secretarytreasurer of the Plant Propagators' Society for the past six years, received a standing vote of thanks for his fine work in the organization. Because of present additional work, he was obliged to relinquish the post.

### Secretary's Report

In his final report, Dr. Snyder mentioned that interest in the organization is still increasing. The total membership now is 340, and retention of membership is extremely high. A subject index of the annual proceedings is now in print and will soon be made available to members. The news-letter, also mentioned, will give wider coverage of material through the year. It was announced that the 1958 meeting will be held again at Wade Park Manor. The tentative dates set for this meeting were December 4 to 6.

The meeting started Thursday morning, November 21, under the direction of President Louis Vanderbrook, Manchester, Conn. The welcome address was given by the past president, Edward Scanlon, Cleveland, O. He stated that the Plant Propagators' Society is a well-established organization and that he received favorable comments about the society during his recent trip to Europe.

### Spruce Propagation

A symposium on the propagation of spruce was moderated by Dr. Robert P. Meahl, professor of ornamental horticulture, Pennsylvania State University, College Park. Dr. Meahl gave a review of literature on the propagation of spruce, covering seeds, grafting and cuttings. He mentioned that this genus is important in forest and ornamental work. The seeds of picea are usually collected in the fall, and good control of oxygen, moisture and temperature is required in seed storage. The period of viability of spruce seeds has been known to extend up to 10 years, but varies within the species. The degrees of dormancy of the various species of picea have been recorded, and 30 to 90 days of cool temperature are often required to break this dormancy.

Noting the scarcity of available literature on the grafting of spruce, Dr. Meahl said that Picea abies is commonly used as understock. Propagation of spruce by cuttings was discussed, and it was mentioned that

juvenile foliage was reported to be best for this purpose, as rooting percentages decrease with the use of older wood. Plain cuttings were reported to root better than heel cuttings, and tip cuttings from the top of a plant were pronounced poorer than cuttings taken from the side of a plant.

Surveying the controversy regarding the use of hormones in the rooting of spruce, Dr. Meahl cited tests in the propagation of Montgomery blue spruce, in which hormones were found to delay rooting and the use of mist proved less effective than hand watering. Good rooting percentages were obtained in June and also, with bottom heat, during February and March. Various cuttings taken from August 1 through January gave poor results.

### Spruce from Seeds

Propagation of spruce by seeds was discussed by Thomas S. Pinney, Evergreen Nursery Co., Sturgeon Bay, Wis. Mr. Pinney advised the selection of quality seeds but mentioned that top quality is not easy to obtain. Tests of germination are recommended. Environmental factors important to the germination of seeds include moisture, oxygen, light and temperature. Dormancy of spruce seeds varies and is usually embryonic rather than externally caused (by seed coats or other such factors).

Soil used in the seedbed must provide good drainage, for air as well as water, and have no frost pockets, said Mr. Pinney. Various chemicals, such as Dalapon and amino-triazole, were recommended for weed control in seedbed areas. Advocated also



Officials at the recent convention of the Plant Propagators Society at Cleveland, O.: Left to right, Roy Nordine, Morton Arboretum, Lisle, Ill., vice-president; Hugh Steavenson, Forrest Keeling Nursery, Elsberry, Mo., president; Louis Vanderbrook, Vanderbrook Nurseries, Inc., Manchester, Conn., retiring president, and Dr. John P. Mahlstede, Iowa State College, Ames, Ia., editor.

was the procedure of building up the organic content of soil to be used as a seedbed by plowing into it previous plantings of alfalfa and oats. Grub control in seedbed areas can be obtained with dieldrin.

Seeds can be stored dry at a temperature of 40 degrees in 80 per cent humidity in closed containers if they cannot be planted in the fall or if pretreatment is necessary, as it is with certain species. Mr. Pinney recommended labeling at the time of seeding. Labels should include the name and source of seeds and other vital information. This information should also be kept in a record book in the nursery office. Seeds, after being planted in the raised bed, are covered with sand and with a 2 to 3-inch layer of straw, with additional shavings added to hold the straw in place during the winter months.

The following spring, the seeds are checked every day, and the straw

is removed as soon as germination starts. Overhead irrigation is then used for midday watering daily through the spring season. Later irrigation is less frequent, but more water is given at each application. No fertilizer is applied to the seedlings the first year other than the initial fertilizer worked into the bed. Straw is used as winter protection. Seedlings are lifted (usually during the second or third year), graded, counted and packed. Packing is considered of vital importance at Mr. Pinney's nursery and is done by

### Spruce from Grafts

John Ravenstein, Mentor, O., began his discussion of the propagation of spruce through grafting by recommending the use of Norway spruce as understock. His practice is to purchase Norway spruce seed-

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# Western Pennsylvania Meeting

By Frank Curto

W. A. "Bert" Morten, Jr., Coraopolis, Pa., was elected chairman of the western region, Pennsylvania Nurserymen's Association, at the region's ninth meeting December 5 at the Hotel Webster Hall, Pittsburgh. Dominic Palombo, South Hills Nurseries, Pittsburgh, was nominated as executive officer for three years in the state group, and Herbert Hoechstetter, Hoechstetter's Nursery, Inc., Verona, was nominated for second vice-president.

Calling the meeting to order, the 1957 region chairman, Herbert Hoechstetter, asked for the report of Mr. Morten, chairman of the cooperative purchasing committee, on the fertilizer that the association distributes under the brand name, Growell. By vote of the members present, the desired formula for the fertilizer was set as 6-10-4, with 50 per cent of the nitrogen to be in natural organic form.

### **Labor Costs**

Stanley Leonard, Leonard & Leonard, Pittsburgh, program chairman, then introduced the first speaker, Louis E. Wissenbach, Squirrel Hill Nursery, Pittsburgh. Discussing rising costs and fixed prices, Mr. Wissenbach urged the members to give serious consideration to raising prices, particularly labor prices. He feels that the labor prices charged by most landscape men are wholly inadequate and should be more in

line with similar charges made by other service organizations. Stating that prices of planting materials are also inadequate, Mr. Wissenbach presented a comparison of prices in his own organization showing that over a period of about 30 years the prices of plant materials has risen only a fraction as much as prices of other consumer goods.

The next speaker on the program was O. S. Pride, Butler, who has specialized in the growing of holly for the past 27 years. His continuing endeavor, he said, is to find a variety of American holly that is well-berried; retains a bright green, glossy foliage throughout the year, and grows rapidly and vigorously. He distributed samples of 30 different clones of American holly that he is currently growing at his nursery, describing the good points and shortcomings of each one.

David R. Metzger, Terrace Gardens, Youngstown, O., president of the Ohio Nurserymen's Association, gave a detailed account of his company's operations, showing examples of the various record forms used. Terrace Gardens, according to Mr. Metzger, charges higher prices than any other comparable firm in the Youngstown area, and his closing remark was, "You can lick competition by charging more for better

John Eisler, Eisler Nurseries, Butler, then spoke on the subject of

maintenance periods specified in landscape architect's contracts. He stated that in nearly all instances these maintenance specifications are unfair to the landscape contractor. After some discussion it was moved and seconded that a committee be appointed to call on landscape architects to discuss the maintenance phase of their contracts and any other specifications the committee considered inequitable. John Eisler; W. A. Morten; Dominic Palombo; Louis Wissenbach; Andrew Palombo, Palombo Nurseries, Pittsburgh, and Domenic Parente, Pittsburgh, were appointed to this committee and instructed to investigate the situation and report later.

### Set Meeting Dates

At this point, the meeting was turned over to the new chairman, Mr. Morten, who appointed Herbert Hoechstetter as program chairman for 1958. Dates for the 1958 meetings were then set, with the exception of the summer picnic, the date for which will be determined later. The spring meeting will be held March 6; the fall meeting, September 25, and the winter meeting, December 4.

After dinner, Mr. Eisler introduced the Rev. Herman Bielenburg, Oil City, Pa., who gave an illustrated talk, entitled "The Voice of the Trees." His excellent color slides of trees, rural and urban scenes, animals and inanimate objects were supplemented with background music. Another series of slides was shown by E. H. Griffith, who talked about his recent Caribbean cruise.

### NEW ALABAMA GROUP

W. D. Cabe, Huntsville, Ala., is president of the Madison County Nurserymen's Association, which was formed last September by the wholesale nurserymen in Madison county, Alabama.

The following firms, all located in Madison county, are members of the M. C. N. A.: Alabama Nursery & Landscape Co., Chase; Bradford's Blue Spring Nursery, Huntsville; Chase Nursery Co., Chase; E. F. DuBose Nursery, Huntsville; Brosemer Nursery, Huntsville; Naugher Nursery, Chase; Huntsville Wholesale Nurseries, Inc.; Huntsville, Byers Nursery Co., Chase; Park Nursery Co., Huntsville, and J. A. Webb Nursery, Huntsville.

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The purpose of the association is to enable the nurserymen to cooperate more closely in matters of mutual benefit and to promote the sale of nursery stock grown in the area.

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### OBITUARY

### Carl H. Flemer, Sr.

Carl H. Flemer, Sr., 67, former head of the F & F Nurseries, Holmdel, N. J., and a past president of the New Jersey Nurserymen's Association, died November 27 at Overlook hospital, Summit, N. J., after a short illness. He retired five years ago from active participation in the nursery business that was founded by his late father, William Flemer.

Mr. Flemer was a former vicepresident and director of the First National bank at Springfield, N. J., a vice-president of the board of trustees of the First Presbyterian church and a member of the Springfield board of education.

Among the survivors are his widow, Carrie, and three sons, Carl H., Jr.: Donald F., and Albert.

### James Marshall Sapp

James Marshall Sapp, 60, owner of the Sapp Nursery, Longview, Tex., died December 4 in the Veterans' Administration hospital at Mc-Kinney, Tex., after a prolonged illness. He had been a resident of Longview for 26 years. A member of the Texas Association of Nurserymen, Mr. Sapp had devoted 40 years to the nursery business. He was a veteran of World War I and a member of Bernay Camp American Legion Post No. 140. Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Myrtle Sapp; two sons, Leo and Charles; two daughters; a sister, and a brother, Floyd Sapp. of Sapp's Nursery, Mount Vernon,

### TRUCK RATES UP

Southern truck lines received the approval of the interstate commerce commission to increase some of their freight charges 4 to 7 per cent, effective November 25, 1957. These increases, however, apply only to shipments within the south and between the south and southwest and middle west. These increases are reported to balance the 4 per cent rate increases granted the southern railroads last August.

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The meeting dates in 1958 will be Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, January 13-14-15. Meetings of a number of allied associations will be held during the week. The registration desk will be open Sunday, January 12.

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January 13-14-15, 1958

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Lecture on "Personality, Charm and Styling" by Mrs. Lois Etzold. (This is part of the convention program.)

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### MEETING CALENDAR

January 2, 1958—Connecticut Nurserymen's Association, winter meeting, Waverly Inn, Cheshire, Conn.

January 5 to 7—North Carolina Nurserymen's Association, winter meeting, College Union building, North Carolina State College, Raleigh.

January 6 to 8—Eastern nurserymen's convention, Hotel Roosevelt, New York, N. Y.

January 6 to 8—Western Association of Nurserymen, annual convention, Hotel Muchlebach, Kansas City, Mo.

January 6 to 8 — Indiana Association of Nurserymen, winter meeting, Purdue University, Lafayette, Ind.

January 6 to 9—American Pomological Society and Massachusetts Fruit Growers Association, joint annual meeting, Bancroft hotel, Worcester, Mass.

January 8—Fifth annual conference on landscape architecture for nurserymen, Iowa State College, Ames, Ia.

January 8 — Maryland Nurserymen's Association, winter meeting, Southern hotel, Baltimore, Md.

January 8 to 10—Indiana Arborists' Association, winter meeting, Purdue University, Lafayette, Ind.

January 9 and 10—Oklahoma State Nurserymen's Association, winter meeting, Mayo hotel, Tulsa, Okla.

January 9 to 11—Iowa Nurserymen's Association, winter meeting, Hotel Kirkwood, Des Moines, Ia.

January 12 — National Landscape Nurserymen's Association, winter meeting, Hotel La Salle, Chicago, Ill.

January 12 to 14—New York State Arborists' Association, annual meeting and arborists' school, Statler Hall, Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y.

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January 12 to 15—Canadian Association of Nurserymen, annual convention, Windsor hotel, Montreal, Quebec, Canada.

January 13 — National Mail Order Nurserymen's Association, Inc., winter meeting, Hotel La Salle, Chicago, Ill.

January 13 to 15—Illinois State Nurserymen's Association, winter convention, Hotel La Salle, Chicago, Ill.

January 14 — Massachusetts Nurserymen's Association, annual meeting, Hotel Kenmore, Boston, Mass.

January 16 and 17—Washington State Nurserymen's Association, winter convention, Ben Franklin hotel, Seattle, Wash.

January 20 to 22—Ohio State University's annual short course for arborists, landscape gardeners and nurserymen, Neil House, Columbus, O.

January 22 and 23 — Connecticut Nurserymen's Association, short course, University of Connecticut, Storrs.

January 22 to 24—Ohio Nurserymen's Association, winter convention, Neil House, Columbus, O.

January 23 and 24—New Jersey Association of Nurserymen, winter meeting, Chalfonte-Haddon Hall hotel, Atlantic City, N. J.

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January 27 and 28-Idaho Association of Nurserymen, winter meeting and garden school, Basque Center hall, Boise, Ida.

January 28 and 29—Kentucky Nurs-rymen's Association, winter meeting, erymen's Phoenix hotel, Lexington, Ky.

January 29—Southern California nurs-ery institute, University of California at Los Angeles.

January 29 to 31—Michigan Association of Nurserymen, winter convention, Fort Shelby hotel, Detroit, Mich.

January 30 and 31—Oregon Association of Nurserymen, annual convention, Multnomah hotel, Portland, Ore.

January 31—Northern California nurs-cry institute, University of California at Berkeley.

February 2 to 4—Tennessee Nursery-men's Association, annual convention, Patten hotel, Chattanooga, Tenn.

February 3 and 4-National Arborist Association, winter meeting, Statler hotel, Washington, D. C.

February 4 — Delaware nurserymen's short course, Agricultural Hall, University of Delaware, Newark, Del.

February 4 and 5—Short course for nurserymen sponsored by Oregon State College, Corvallis.

February 4 to 6-New England Nursreturn to — New England State erymen's Association, annual meeting, Hotel Kenmore, Boston, Mass. February 6 and 7 — West Virginia Nurserymen's Association, winter meet-

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February 12 and 13—Pennsylvania Nurserymen's Association, winter meet-ing, Penn-Harris hotel, Harrisburg, Pa.

February 19 to 21—Midwestern chap-ter, National Shade Tree Conference, winter meeting, Hotel La Salle, Chicago, T11.

February 20 and 21 - Massachusetts Nurserymen's Association, short course for nurserymen, Waltham field station, Waltham, Mass.

### EASTERNERS' AGENDA

Revisions having been made to cover last minute changes in arrangements, the accompanying program for the 1958 convention of eastern nurserymen, to be held January 6 to 8 at the Hotel Roosevelt, New York, N. Y., was recently an-nounced by Mrs. Marie M. Enberg, secretary-treasurer.

### JANUARY 6

10:30 a. m. — Registration. 2:00 p. m. — Welcome address, by Willard M. Bond, chairman, region I,

American Association of Nurserymen.
"Our Year's Accomplishments and
Plans for the Future," by Louis Weinstock, president, New York State Nurserymen's Association.

2:30 p. m. — "Report on the Work of the Bureau of Plant Industry," by Edwin Kirk, director, bureau of plant industry, New York state department of

agriculture.

2:45 p. m. — "Landscaping Your Insurance Needs," by Mathew Napear, Mathew Napear & Son, New York.

3:15 p. m. — "Gold and Its Effect on Today's Economy," by Dr. Frank Pearson, professor emeritus, department

of agricultural economics, Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y. 3:45 p. m.—"Personnel Problems in Small Business," by Prof. Robert F. Risley, Cornell University.

6:30 p. m. - Annual reception.

### JANUARY 7

8:15 a. m. - Coffee and doughnuts, exhibit area.

9:00 a. m. - Registration.

9:15 a. m. - Business meeting, region I, A. A. N.: Presentation of slate of officers and presentation of new convention organization.

10:30 a. m. - Address by John Fraser

III, president, A. A. N.
11:00 a. m. — "Regional A. A. N. Research Program," by Richard M. Wyman, Jr., Wyman's Garden Centers, Framing-

ham, Mass.

11:15 a. m. — "The Regional Viewpoint," by Valleau C. Curtis, member, board of directors, region I, A. A. N.

11:30 a. m.—"A Report on What Is Being Done to Gain Better Cooperation Between Those Who Are Planning, Supplying Plant Materials for and Executing Landscape Work," by William Howe, Jr. 11:45 a. m. — Introduction of exhib-

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12:30 p. m. — Lunch, grand ballroom,
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2:15 p. m. — "Country Fair Forum"

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	nicus, 2-yr., S	.20	.18		Malus eleyi, whips, 3 to 4 ft	.75	
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3000 Clethra alnifolia r	osea, 21/4-in. pots	.25	.221/2		Malus Van Eseltine, whips, 3 to 4 ft	.75	15
	ta, I-yr., T	.25	.05		Pachysandra Silver Edge, 1-yr	.18	.15
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		.75	001/		Picea pungens, 2-yr., S., 2 to 4 ins	.06	.05
	2-yr., T., 12 to 18 ins	.10	.091/2		Picea pungens, 3-yr., T., 3 to 6 ins Picea pungens moerheimi,	.15	.12
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300 Deutzia gracilis ro	sea, TT., 12 to 15 ins	.35			Pieris japonica, 2-yr., T	.30	.25
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1000 Prunus Kwanzan, I-yr., whips, 2 to 3 ft	.75	.121/2
3000 Prunus tomentosa, I-yr.,	.07	.061/2
9000 3-yr., T., 4 to 7 ins.	.11	.10
2400 4-vs T 8 to 14 inc	.16	.14
5000 Quercus palustris, I-yr., S. 1300 Rhamnus cathartica, 2-yr., T. 4800 Ribes alpinum, 2-yr., T., 6 to 9 ins. 6000 Rosa rugosa, I-yr., S.	.071/2	
1300 Rhamnus cathartica, 2-yr., T.	.10	.09
4800 Ribes alpinum, 2-yr., T., 6 to 9 ins	.15	.12
6000 Rosa rugosa, I-yr., S	.051/2	.041/2
2000 Sorbus aucuparia. L-Vr	137	.06
2000 2-yr., T. 1000 whips, 3 to 4 ft. 400 Spiraea froebeli, 2-yr., T., 6 to 9 ins.	.20	.18
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6 to 9 ins	.10	.071/2
5000 Syringa vulgaris, 1-yr., S. 4000 Taxus cuspidata, 2-yr., T.	.09	.08
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5 to 10 ins	.35	.30
5000 Taxus cuspidata capitata, 2-yr., S	.12	.10
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2000 4-yr., T., 6 to 10 ins	.50	.45
2800 Taxus cuspidata browni, 2-yr., T., 5 to 7 ins.	.30	.271/2
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5 to 9 ins	.35	.30
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6 to 12 ins	.30	.25
400 Thuja occidentalis elegantissima,		
2-yr., T., 8 to 12 ins	.30	.25
2400 Thuja occidentalis globosa, 2-yr., T.,		
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1100 Thuja occidentalis pyramidalis, 2-yr., T.	.30	.25
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275 Thuja occidentalis wareana plicata,		
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9000 Tilia cordata, 1-yr., S.			.15
1600 Tilia tomentosa, I-yr.,			
8000 Tsuga canadensis, 2-yr.			.09
4000 4-yr., T., 6 to 12 ins.			.30
2000 3-yr., T			.20
5000 Tsuga caroliniana, 2-yr.	. T	30	.25
8000 Viburnum americanum,			.10
2000 Viburnum carlesi, 2-yr.,	S., 4 to 6 ins	15	.121/2
2000 2-yr., S., 6 to 8 ins.			.171/2
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600 3-yr., T., S., 15 to 18	ins	75	.60
5000 Viburnum dentatum, I-	yr., S	09	.08
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750 Wistaria sinensis, I-yr.,	2	05	
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Pot grafts for shipment after May 1, 1958.

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100	Cedrus atlantica glauca	.60
500	Cornus florida alba plena	.50
5000	Cornus florida rubra	.50
2000	Cornus florida Prosser, new red	.65
1000	Juniperus chinensis sargenti	.60
1000	Juniperus chinensis keteleeri	.50
1000	Juniperus Hill's pyramidalis	.50
1000	Picea moerheimi	1.00
0001	Rhododendron hybrids, cuttings, 3-in. pofs.	.90
1000	Thuja occidentalis pyramidalis	.45
1000	Thuja orientalis aurea nana	.45
1000	Viburnum carlesi	.45
500	Viburnum chenaulti	.45
500	Viburnum juddi	.50

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Acer saccharum monumentale			65.00
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Cornus florida rubra			55.00
Cornus florida rubra Prosser			65.00
Cornus kousa chinensis			55.00
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Ilex opaca femina			65.00
	Judge Brown	1.30	65.00
Boyce Thompson No. 3	Lake City		
Cheerful	Mae City		
Christmas Tide	Manig		
Delia Bradley	Miss Helen		
Farage	Osa		
Hookstraw (Old Heavy Berry)	Richards		
Joyce			200
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Homer Dodge, Framingham, Mass., discussion leader.

"What's on Your Mind?"-discussion of miscellaneous subjects, with Edwin Costich, Hicks Nurseries, Westbury, L. I., with Edwin Y., discussion leader.

4:00 p. m. - Summary of discussions presented by group leaders to meeting at large.

8:00 p. m. - "Plant Forum" and unusual uses of plant materials)— panel discussion with Carl Wedell, dean, Long Island Agricultural and Technical Institute, Farmingdale, N. Y., moderator, and Dan Kiley, landscape architect, Charlotte, Vt.; Wellington Kennedy—landscape nurseryman, Green wich, Conn.; John Cornman, Cornell University, and Case Hoogendoorn, nurseryman, Newport, R. I., panel members.

### JANUARY 8

8:00 a. m. - Coffee and doughnuts, exhibit area.

9:00 a. m. - Registration. 9:00 a. m. - Business meeting, region

I, A. A. N., election of officers. 10:00 a. m. - Address by Howard P. Quadland, director of public information,

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10:15 a. m. — Address by Ellis E. Meredith, administrative assistant, A. A. N. 10:30 a. m. — Business meeting, Na-

10:30 a. m. — Business meeting, National Landscape Nurserymen's Association, John M. Eisler, executive committeeman, region I, N. L. N. A., presiding. 10:45 a. m. — "Plant Materials Adaptable for Landscape Use," by Prof. Robert P. Meahl, head of the department of ornamental horticulture, Pennsylvania State University, University Park.

11:30 a. m.—"Growth Regulation and Indibotics," by Dr. Paul C. Marth, United States Department of Agriculture.

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12:00 noon — Refreshments, exhibit

12:30 p. m. — Lunch, grand ballroom, Willard M. Bond, presiding; presentation of 1958 A. A. N. industrial landscaping

2:15 p. m. — "The Voice of the Trees," illustrated, by Rev. Herman Bielenberg, Oil City, Pa.
3:15 p. m. — "Landscaping for Profit as Seen by an Employee"—panel discussion with Seal M. M. Latab.

3:15 p. m. — "Landscaping for Proht as Seen by an Employee"—panel discussion, with Stanley McIntosh, Turner Nursery, West Long Branch, N. J., moderator, and Russell Bettes, Howe Nurseries, Pennington, N. J.; Jack Harakal, Rosedale Nurseries, Inc., Hawthorne, N. Y., and Dudley Clayton, Dalsimer, Inc., Cedarhurst, L. I., N. Y., panel members. members.

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ginia Polytechnic Institute, Blacksburg, it is announced by W. B. Higgs, president of the Northern Virginia Nurserymen's Association. Mr. Higgs reports that classrooms for the course are set up in the Fairfax county courthouse, Fairfax, Va., and that the program will be pre-sented by faculty members of V. P. I.

### EVENTS FOR MARYLAND

C. M. Akehurst, secretary of the Maryland Nurserymen's Association, announces that the final program for the association's annual meeting, to be held at the Southern hotel, Baltimore, Md., January 8, has been arranged as follows:

9:00 a. m. - Registration.

9:30 a. m. - Call to order, secretary's and treasurer's reports.

10:00 a. m. — President's addres W. Price, Towson Nurseries, - President's address, by Cockeysville.

10:20 a. m. — "Dutch Elm Disease: Diagnosis and Control," by John B. Wilson, department of plant pathology,

University of Maryland, College Park. 10:40 a. m. — "New Regulatory and Quarantine Actions of Interest to Nurserymen," by Dr. George S. Langford, Maryland state entomologist, College Park

11:00 a. m. -"The Objectives and Work of the Governor's Committee— Keep Maryland Beautiful," by John Clark, Belair, chairman; "Trees and Shrubs for Community, Roadside and Public Area Beautifications"-discussion, by J. H. Burton, Hyattsville, and Henry Hohman, Kingsville.

12:15 p. m. - Lunch, presentation of professional achievement award, with

Ray Gustin, Rockville, toastmaster.

2:00 p. m.— "Roses for the Home
Garden," by George M. Hart, garden
consultant, Conard-Pyle Co., West Grove,

3:00 p. m. - "Relations Between the American Association of Nurserymen and the Maryland Nurserymen's Association' — discussion, by A. S. Gresham, Jr., Richmond, A. A. N. region II director, and Alfred Burton, Hyattsville.

3:20 p. m.—"Legislative Problems of Interest to Nurserymen," by Gilbert

Gude, Rockville.

3:35 p. m. - Final business session, with election of officers.

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The North Carolina Association of Nurserymen will be host for an informal buffet dinner at the College Union building, North Carolina State College, Raleigh, at 6 p. m. Sunday, January 5, the opening day of the association's short course. The trade fair will open at the same time in the College Union ballroom. Later sessions of the course, which will continue through January 7, are scheduled as follows:

JANUARY 6
9:00 a. m. — Opening session, College
Union theater; welcome address, by Dr.
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**SPRING**, 1958

**All Stock Listed Nursery Grown** 

# HARDY DECIDUOUS FLOWERING SHRUBS Per 10 Per 100 Per 10 ft., 10

ALTHAEA, HIBISCUS SY	Per 100	Per 1000 (Shrub
Althaea)		(
Varieties: Althaea Amplissimus, double.	red	
Althaen Ardens, double, viole		
Althaea Jeanne d'Arc, double Althaea Lady Stanley, sen		white.
shade rose Althaea Pulcherrimus, sen		
carmine center	ndouble,	white,
Althaea Rubis, single, red	0 0 7 00	e 47.00
6 to 12 ins., C	7.50	70.00
well-br 1.3 18 to 24 ins., 2-yr.,	5 15.00	125.00
18 to 24 ins., 2-yr., well-br 2.6	0 17.50	150.00
well-br 2.6 2 to 3 ft., 2-yr., well-br. 2.3 3 to 4 ft., 2-yr., well-br. 2.3	5 20.00 5 25.00	175.00
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BERBERIS THUNBERGI	er 100 Per	1000
(Green-leaved Barber		
6 to 12 ins., 2-yr., 8. <b>\$0.75</b> 12 to 18 ins., 2-yr., S. <b>1.25</b> 18 to 24 ins., 2-yr., S. <b>1.50</b>	7.50	60.00
(Less 20% in quantitie	10.00 s of 500	85.00 0 or
more.)		
Per 10	Per 100 1	Per 1000
BERBERIS THUNBERGIAT	ROPURI	PUREA
(Red-leaved Barberry) 6 to 12 ins., 2-yr., S\$1.2	\$10.00	\$ 90.00
12 to 18 ins., 2-yr., S 1.7. 18 to 24 ins., 2-yr., S 2.2	5 20.00	175.00
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30 to 36 ins., well-br 5.7	5 55.00	*****
6 to 12 ins. S4	Sweet S	20.00
6 to 12 ins. S	0 3.50 0 4.50	40.00
	5.50	50,00
(Red Osier Dogwood)		
6 to 12 ins., S	1.50	12,50 15,60 20,00
18 to 24 ins., S40	2.25	20,00 100.00
18 to 24 ins., T., well-br. 1.7	15.00	125.00
12 to 12 ins, S	20.00 22.50	$150.00 \\ 175.00$
CYDONIA JAPONICA RUBRA (Chaenomeles lagenaria ru		
(Japanese Quince), true,	,	
upright red. 6 to 12 ins., C 1.73	10.00	90,00
6 to 12 ins., C 1.73	15.00 20.00	$125.00 \\ 175.00$
12 to 18 ins., C 2.23 12 to 18 ins., T., well-br. 2.73 18 to 24 ins., T., well-br. 4.00 2 to 3 ft., T., well-br 5.00	35,00	300.00 400.00
DEUTZIA SCABRA	45.00	400.00
Varieties:		
Crenata, double, pink Pride of Rochester, double, wh	ite	
6 to 12 ins., C40	2.50	20.00
12 to 18 ins., C50	3.00 7.00	$25.00 \\ 60.00$
6 to 12 ins., C	9.00 15.00	80.00 125.00
3 to 4 ft., well-br 2.00	17.50	150.00

Per	10 P	er 100	Per 1000
DESMODIUM (Bicolor Lespedeza)			
2-yr., medium, S 2-yr., No. 1, S	\$0.60 .75	\$ 3.00 3.50	\$ 25.06 30.06
FORSYTHIA SPECTABIL			
(Showy Border Forsy) (Golden Bell)			
6 to 12 ins., C	.60	3.50 4.50	30.00 40.00 150.00
18 to 24 ins., well-br	2.50	17.50 20.00	175.00
2 to 3 ft., well-br 3 to 4 ft., well-br	3.00 3.50	$25.00 \\ 30.00$	
HYDRANGEA PANICULA	TA		
GRANDIFLORA			
(Peegee Hydrangea)	-		***
6 to 12 ins., C 12 to 18 ins., C	.80 1.00	6.00	50.00 80.00
12 to 18 ins., well-br 18 to 24 ins., well-br	1.70	15.00	125.00
2 to 3 ft., well-br	2.25	$20.00 \\ 25.00$	150.00 $200.00$
2 to 3 ft., well-br 3 to 4 ft., well-br	3.25	30.00	
HYDRANGEA QUERCIFO			
(Oak-leaved Hydrange	a)	00.00	127.00
15 to 18 ins., T., well-br.	2.75	20.00 25.00	175.00 200.00
18 to 24 ins., T., well-br.	3.25	30,00	250.00
12 to 15 ins., T., well-br. 15 to 18 ins., T., well-br. 18 to 24 ins., T., well-br. 2 to 3 ft., T., well-br. 3 to 4 ft., T., well-br.	5.50	$40,00 \\ 50,00$	350.00
LONICERA TATARICA R			
(Pink-flowering Honey	suck	le)	
6 to 12 ins., C. 12 to 18 ins., C. 18 to 24 ins., C.	.65	4.00	30.00
18 to 24 ins., C	.85	4.50	40.00
12 to 18 ins., well-br 18 to 24 ins., well-br 2 to 3 ft., well-br	.90	6.50	60.00
18 to 24 ins., well-br	1.25	15.00	125.00
3 to 4 ft., well-br	2.50	20.00	155,00
LIGUSTRUM IBOLIUM			
(Ibolium Privet),			
hardy California Field-grn., L.O., 1 cane	.40	9.00	92.00
6 to 12 ins., 2 br	.50	3.00 4.00	$25,00 \\ 35,00$
6 to 12 ins., 2 br 12 to 18 ins., 2 br 18 to 24 ins., 2 br	.60	4.50	40.00
		5.50	50,00
3 br. and up 18 to 24 ins.,	.80	6.50	60.00
3 br. and up			75.00
	1.25	12.50	100,00
(California Privet)	M		
Field-grn. L.O. 1 cane	.40	2.25	20.00
Grafting grade-	.45	2.75	25.00
	.50	3.50	30,00
12 to 18 ins., 2 br	.60	4.50	40.00
¼-in. cal. and up 12 to 18 ins., 2 br 18 to 24 ins., 2 br 12 to 18 ins., 2 br	.70	5.50	50.00
18 to 24 ins.,	.70	5.50	50,00
3 br. and up	.80	6.50	60.00

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0.00	SPIRAEA ANTHON
5.00 0.00 0.00	6 to 12 ins., C
	SYRINGA PERSICA
	(Persian Lilac),
00, 00, 00, 00, 00, 00,	6 to 12 ins., C
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(Garland Spiraea)

PIRAEA ANTHONY WATERER 8 to 12 ins., C. . . . 1.50 10.00 ... 6 to 12 ins., 3-yr. T., well-br. . . 3.00 25.00 ... 12 to 15 ins., 3-yr. T., well-br. . . 4.00 35.00 ... 15 to 18 ins., 3-yr. T., well-br. . 5.00 45.00 ... 18 to 24 ins., 3-yr. T., well-br. . 6.00 55.00 ... TRINGA PERSICA (Persian Lilac), purple 6 to 12 ins., C. 1.25 10.00 12 to 18 ins., C. 1.50 12.50 18 to 24 ins., C. 1.75 15.00 12 to 18 ins., well-br. 2.75 25.00 18 to 24 ins., well-br. 3.25 30.00 2 to 3 ft., well-br. 4.25 40.00 3 to 4 ft., well-br. 5.25 50.00 MPELOPS BURNUM TOMENTOSUM (Double-File Viburnum) TEX AGNUSCASTUS (Lilac Chaste Tree) TEX INCISA (Cut-leaved Chaste Tree) WEIGELA LUTEA, yellow 12 to 18 ins., well-br... 2.00 18 to 24 ins., well-br... 2.25 2 to 3 ft., well-br... 2.75 3 to 4 ft., well-br... 3.25

ER DASY (Silver Market)
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### **ORNAMENTAL AND SHADE TREES**

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Per 10 Per 100	Per 1000	Per 10 Per 100 Per 100
EE DASYCARPUM		GLEDITSIA TRIACANTHOS INERMIS
(saccharinum) (Silver Maple)		
(Silver Maple) 6 to 12 ins., S	0 \$ 10.00	(Thornless Honey Locust)
12 to 18 ins., S40 2.0	0 15.00	6 to 12 ins., S \$0.30 \$ 1.50 \$ 12.5
18 to 24 ins., S50 2.5	0 20.00	12 to 18 ins., S
2 to 3 ft., S	0 20.00	
		3 to 4 ft., S
		3 to 4 ft., T50 40.00 30.0
well-br., tops 5.00 40.00 5 to 6 ft., T., well-br.,	0 350.00	4 to 5 ft., T
5 to 6 ft., T., Well-Dr.,	0 550.00	6 to 8 ft., T 1.25 120.00 100.0
5 to 6 ft., T., well-or., tops, ½ to ¾-in. cal. 7.50 60.00 6 to 8 ft., T., well-br., tops, ¾ to 1-in. cal 10.00 80.00	0 300.00	8 to 10 ft., T., br 1.75 150.00 140.0
tops, % to 1-in, cal10.00 80.00	0 700.00	
tops, 4 to 10 ft., T., well-br., tops, 1% to		KCELREUTERIA PANICULATA
tops, 1½ to 1½-in. cal	0	(Golden-Rain Tree)
10 to 12 ft., T.,		6 to 12 ins., S 1.50 12.50 100.0 12 to 18 ins., S 2.00 17.50
wall-hr., tops, 1 % to		18 to 24 ins., S 2.50 17.50
1%-in. cal	0	10 10 21 1110., 15 8.00 88.00
(BIZZIA JULIBRISSIN		LIRIODENDRON TULIPIFERA
(Mimosa Tree)		(Poplar) (Tulip Tree)
6 to 12 ins., S		6 to 12 ins., S50 3.50 30.0
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18 10 24 III. S		18 to 24 ins., S
to 4 ft., 3-yr., S 2.50 20.00		3 to 4 ft., T 7.50 50,00
to 5 ft., 3-yr., S 3.50 30.00		5 to 6 ft., T
1 to 4 ft., T 4.00 35.00		6 to 8 ft., T
18 to 24 118. 5. 43 5. 4		8 to 10 ft., T
10 6 H. T		10 to 12 ft., T20,00
to 10 ft., T 12.50 100.00		(Add \$1.00 per tree for B&B. We canno guarantee the livability of transplants move
		bare root.)
(American Redbud)		mare room?
6 to 12 ins., S	20.00	MELIA UMBRACULIFORMIS
12 to 18 ins., S30 3.00		(True Texas Umbrella)
18 to 24 ins., S 60 4.00		6 to 12 ins., S50 3.50 30.0
2 to 3 ft., S	60.00	12 to 18 ins., S
1 to 4 ft. T. br 4.00 35.00		18 to 24 ins., S
1 to 5 ft., T., br 5.50 50,00		2 to 3 ft T 3.00 25.00 200.0 3 to 4 ft T 4.00 35.00 300.0
5 to 6 ft., T., br 8.00 75.00		4 to 5 ft., T 5,50 50,00 450,0
10 4 ft. S		5 to 6 ft., T 6.00 55,00 500.0
8 to 10 ft., T., br 15.00 125.00		6 to 8 ft., T 7.50
RNUS FLORIDA RUBRA		MORUS ALBA TATARICA
(Pink Dogwood)		(Russian Mulberry)
12 to 18 ins 8.00 75.00 18 to 24 ins		1.77
10 3 H., Well-Dr 13.00 123.00		6 to 12 ins., S
to 4 ft		12 to 18 ins., S
well-br., 2-yr22.00 200.00		2 to 3 ft., S
to 5 ft., well-br., 2-yr32,50 300,00		
te 6 ft.,		NYSSA SYLVATICA
well-br B&B55.00 500.00		(Black Gum)
to 8 ft		6 to 12 ins., S 4.50 40.0
well-br., B&B70.00 650.00		12 to 18 ins., S 6.50 60.0
AXINUS LANCEOLATA		PLATANUS OCCIDENTALIS
(Green Ash)	10.00	(Sycamore)
6 to 12 ins., S		(American Plane Tree)
18 to 24 ins., S	10.00	4 to 5 ft., S., 3-yr 1.00 7.00 65.0
10 2 61 8		4 to 5 ft., T., well-br 6.00 50.00
to 4 ft., T., br50 40.00		5 to 5 ft., T., Well-br 7.50 60,00
10 4 ft T br		4 to 5 ft., S., S-yr. 1.00 7.00 65.0 4 to 5 ft., T., well-br. 6.00 50.00 5 to 6 ft., T., well-br. 7.50 60.00 5 to 8 ft., T., well-br. 10.00 75.00 8 to 10 ft., T., well-br. 12.50 100.00 5 to 6 ft., T., well-br. 12.50 100.00 5 to 10 ft., well-br. 12.50
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Per 10 Pe	er 100	Per 1000
PRUNUS PERSICA (Flowering Double White, Double Red,		)
Double Pink, Peppermint St	ick,	
Redleaf (Combination fruit)	ing	
and flowering Peach) 30 to 36 ins., br.,		
2-yr., June bud\$3.25	\$27.50	
7/16 to 9/16-in, cal., 3 to		
4 ft., 2-yr., June bud. 3.50 9/16 to 11/16-in. cal., 4 to	30.00	****
5 ft 2.vr June bud 4 50	40.00	
11/16-in. and up,		
2-yr., June bud 5.50	30.60	****
dormant bud 3.50	30.00	
7/16 to 9/16-in, cal.,		
dormant bud 4.00 9/16 to 11/16-in, cal.,	35,00	
dormant bud 5.00	45.00	
11/16-in. cal., dormant		
PRUNUS THUNDERCLOUD an	65.00	****
NEWPORT	a.	
PRUNUS PISSARDI		
(Purple-leaved Plum)	45.50	
30 to 36 ins., June bud. 3.25 7/16 to 9/16-in. cal., br.,	27.50	****
dormant hud 4.00	35,00	
9/16 to 11/16-in, cal., br.,		
dormant bud 5.00 11/16-in. cal., dormant	45.00	
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QUERCUS COCCINEA		
(Scarlet Oak)		
C to 10 inc C 100	7 00	e ee ee
6 to 12 ins., S 1.00		\$ 60.00 75.00
12 to 18 ins., S 1.25 18 to 24 ins., S 1.50	8,50 12,50	75.00 100.00
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9:30 a. m.—"Mostly Mites," by Dr. M. H. Farrior, department of entomology, N. C. S. C. 10:15 a. m.—"Soil Mixes for Container Stock," by Dr. E. W. McElwee, University of Florida.

11:30 a. m.—"Report on the Witchweed Quarantine," by Dr. C. H. Brannon, chief, department of entomology and plant quarantine, North Carolina department of agriculture. department of agriculture.

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12:00 noon — Lunch.

1:30 p. m. — "Packaging Nursery
Stock," by Dr. Tokuji Furuta, Alabama
Polytechnic Institute, Auburn, Ala.

2:15 p. m. — "Is the Price Right?"
by J. J. Pinney, Willis Nursery Co., Ottawa, Kan.

tawa, Kan. 3:00 p. m. — Special report on the activities of the North Carolina state activities of the highway department.

"Merchandising"

panel discussion, with J. J. Pinney, mod-

erator. 5:00 p. m. — Visiting trade fair. 6:30 p. m. - Banquet, speaker to be announced.

JANUARY 7
9:00 a. m. — "What Makes a New
Holly?" by W. F. Kosar, National Arboretum, Washington, D. C.

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10:00 a. m. — "Land scaping the
Homes of Today," by R. P. Korbobo,
Rutgers University, New Brunswick, N. J.

11:00 a. m.— "Landscaping" — panel
discussion, with J. H. Harris, N. C. S. C.,
and R. P. Korbobo.

12:00 noon—Lunch. 1:30 p. m. — Busines election of officers. - Business meeting, with

4:00 p. m. - Adjournment.

### OKLAHOMA PROGRAM

The Oklahoma State Nurserymen's Association, Inc., with a membership increase of over 50 per cent recorded in the past year, is looking forward to a record attendance at its 1958 annual convention, to be held January 9 and 10 at the Mayo hotel, Tulsa. The program, emphasizing merchandising and selling, will also include entertainment for the ladies at 2 p.m. Thursday, January 9, when Gerald Spoor, Holland Nursery, Tulsa, will present a talk on "European Gardens." General sessions of the convention are scheduled as follows:

JANUARY 9

9:00 a. m.-Registration. 10:30 a. m.—Call to order, Emerald om, by President Harold R. Nickel, room, by President Harous ... Greenleaf Nursery, Muskogee.

10:35 a. m.—Welcome address, by George Norval, mayor, Tulsa, Okla. 10:50 a. m.—"American Association of Nurserymen—National Scene," by James Lauden, director, region V of the A. A. N. 11:00 a. m.—"Garden Supply Mer-chandising," by Michael Jones, merchan-dising manager, California Spray Chem-ical Corp.

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11:40 a. m .- "Solid Gold Garden Mara film.

12:00 noon—Lunch, Ivory room, "Progressive Sales," by John Watkins, Gulf Oil Co., Tulsa.

2:00 p. m.—"Human Relations," by Dr. Paul Whitman, Muskogee. 2:30 p. m.-"Garden Shop Merchan-

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3:30 p. m.— "Landscaping" — panel discussion, with Eugene Fleming, moderator, and Hugh Payne, Burl Gulick and Paul Hutchinson, panel members.

4:00 p. m.—"Cost of Operations"—a panel discussion, with William Ansteth, moderator, and C. D. Rule, Harold Nickell and Warren Welch. panel members.

el and Warren Welch, panel members. 7:30 p. m.—Annual banquet, Crystal

ballroom. 9:00 p. m.-Dancing and entertainment.

#### JANUARY 10

9:30 a. m.—"Are You Selling Your Product?" by John D. Schatz, assistant professor of agriculture, Southwest Mis-

souri State College, Springfield.

10:00 a. m. — "A. A. N. Insurance
Plan," by Howard H. Huff, manager,
John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance

10:30 a. m.—Secretary-treasurer's report, by Cyrus E. Adams, Kenyon's Nursery, Oklahoma City.
10:45 a. m. — Business session, with

election of officers.

12:00 noon-Adjournment.

#### FINAL ILLINOIS PROGRAM

Harleigh R. Kemmerer, secretary of the Illinois State Nurserymen's Association, announces that arrangements for the association's winter convention, to be held January 12 to 15 at the Hotel La Salle, Chicago, were completed at the recent meeting of directors and that the following is the final program:

JANUARY 12

10:00 a. m. - Registration, mezzanine floor

10:00 a. m.—Exhibits, Chicago room, parlors A, B and D.

1:00 p. m. - National Landscape Nurserymen's Association.

**JANUARY 13** 

9:30 a. m. - Registration and exhibits.

12:15 p. m. — Lunch, Illinois room. Edward P. Eickhof, Eickhof Nursery, Bensenville.

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**JANUARY 14** 

9:30 a. m. - Registration and exhibits.

9:30 a. m.-- I. S. N. A. business ses-Lincoln-Douglas room, 18th floor.

12:15 p. m. — Lunch.

"Where Are We Going in World Affairs," by Dr. William McGovern, Northwestern University, Evanston, Ill.

"Ideas," by Orvel Cockrel, Mount

Morris, Ill.

"Market Developments," by Howard P. Quadland, publicity director, American Association of Nurserymen.

**JANUARY 15** 9:30 a. m. - Registration and exhib-

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12:15 p. m. — Lunch. 1:30 p. m.—Films: "Nature's One-Half Acre" and "Highway Dollars and Sense." "Economic Outlook for 1958," by Dr.

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#### MAIL-ORDER MEET

As has been customary, the winter meeting of the National Mail Order Nurserymen's Association, to be held January 13 at the Hotel La Salle, Chicago, will be conducted on an informal basis, according to Roger L. Krider, secretary. Mr. Krider announces that no definite program has been planned, but that the 2-hour meeting will consist of reports from the committee planning the program for the 1958 N. M. O. N. A. summer convention, reports from the research committee and general discussions of any pertinent problems.

#### N. Y. ARBORISTS MEET

The winter meetings of the New York State Arborists' Association will be held at Statler hall, Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y., January 12 to 14. The session will open at 8 p.m. with a meeting of the directors. Registration and a social gettogether will begin at 7 p.m. in the faculty lounge.

Monday, January 13, there will be a short tour of teaching and research facilities. At Riley-Robb hall, Agricultural Engineering building, machinery of interest to arborists will be shown. These devices include stump removal equipment, a power spade for digging trees, brush disposal equipment and the Cornell fence post sharpener.

At the Plant Science building, examples of specific tree troubles will be shown at the laboratory of plant pathology by Dr. Donald S. Welch and graduate students.

Dr. J. George Matthysse, entomologist, will demonstrate evaluation procedures for insecticides and for efficiency of equipment. These demonstrations and other exhibits on weed control will be shown at the greenhouse area on Tower road, east.

Morning sessions will close with a report from the department of agriculture and markets, by Edwin Kirk, head of the division of plant industry in the state.

The afternoon program will begin with a discussion on Shade Trees for Modern Planting, by Prof. H. O. Perkins, landscape department, University of Connecticut, Storrs. Stuart B. Eynon, Heath Survey Consultants, Boston, Mass., will discuss "Gas Injury to Shade Trees." Carl Schiff,



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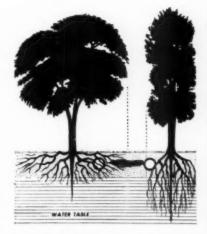
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The final day will include a discussion of "New Machinery for Arborists," by Carl H. Asplundh, Asplundh Chipper Co., Jenkintown, Pa., and a panel discussion on "Contract Work in Arboriculture." Panel members will be Freeman L. Parr, Hicksville; Frank Karpick, Buffalo; Wilbur Wright, head of the parks department, Rochester, and Robert R. Lewis, Syracuse. The closing sessions include remarks by Prof. Raymond Hirt, school of forestry, Syracuse, and a summation of "Research in Arboriculture," by Robert Bartlett, F. A. Bartlett Tree Expert Co., Stamford, Conn.

#### MASSACHUSETTS DETAILS

According to a program recently announced by John C. Dwyer, executive secretary of the Massachusetts Nurserymen's Association, the 49th annual winter meeting of the M. N. A. at the Hotel Kenmore, Boston, Mass., January 14 will be called to order at 10 a. m. The president's report will be given by Frank White, White Landscape Service, Brockton, and reports of the treasurer, executive secretary and standing committees will also be heard

A social hour and lunch are scheduled for 12 noon, and the afternoon session will open at 1:45 o'clock with reports of special committees, including that of the resolutions committee. Unfinished and new business will then be undertaken by the nurserymen, after which the election and installation of 1958 officers will be held. The meeting will be adjourned after the election of the 1959 nominating committee.

#### TREE MEET FOR KANSAS

Discussions of Dutch elm disease and its control will be of major interest at the meeting of the Kansas shade tree conference set for January 16 and 17, according to an announcement in a recent news-letter of the Kansas Association of Nurserymen. The meeting will be held at Kansas State College, Manhattan.

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#### Tilia Platyphyllos Laciniata -Fastigiate Form

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It is possible that this tree will loosen up as it matures and develop



Foliage of fastigiate form of Tilia platyphyllos laciniata.

a more open, fountainlike head, but at no stage of growth, from young seedling to its present almost mature size, has our other cut-leaved linden ever shown such extremely fastigiate, densely branched structure. A different clone is always worthy of note, and this plant, in addition to showing promise of a good-looking, medium tree of upright habit, will be interesting to watch as it ages toward maturity.

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but will show satisfactory growth in less favorable locations, though they are likely to suffer from drought.

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or less. In this manner, several flushes of growth can be obtained in red oak seedlings, white pine and Norway spruce. The growth of Japanese maple, birch and lespedeza is almost continuous under long days. A comparative study of various light sources useful for this purpose revealed that 60-watt incandescent bulbs with reflectors supplementing the normal daylength do the trick, providing that the night temperature is about 60 degrees Fahrenheit or above. Warm white fluorescent tubes gave good results, also.

Gibberellic acid induced stretching on Japanese maple, but the stems were long and thin. The untreated controls caught up with the treated plants, producing sturdier plants of the same height. In the case of dwarf Viburnum opulus and dwarf arborvitae, applications given once weekly for two months in the summer produced only slight responses. The tentative conclusion is that, at the present time, gibberellic acid does not give results which would warrant its use on a commercial scale for nursery crops. More research is needed to define the areas in which the use of gibberellic acid would be advisable.

Yasir Samman, graduate student in floriculture, showed greenhouse roses growing in pots. Paired shoots were selected and one of each treated with gibberellic acid. Treatments were at several rates and frequencies between 15 and 75 parts per million, one, two or three applications. The larger amounts and frequencies induced elongation appearing to border on excess, so far as good quality of cut roses is concerned. Lower rates and less frequent applications resulted in normal growth with little stimulation at present. This work is still in progress.

The research tour included a third section that visited the new Cornell turf plots. These plots were started in 1956, with most of the major plantings made this past fall. The soil is a heavy silty clay loam, requiring more than 3,000 feet of agricultural tile in the area. For water supply, a 4-inch line having 90

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HINDLA'S NURSERY Bohemia, L. I., N. Y. held Wednesday afternoon, December 4. Major points to be considered in these discussions were determined by means of questionnaires sent to N. Y. S. N. A. members in advance of the meeting.

Discussion topics were "Landscape Sales for Home Properties," moderated by Hewlett Lewis, Greenvale, N. Y.; "Plants for the Ranch and Other Homes Where Special Conditions Prevail," moderated by Valleau Curtis, Curtis Nurseries, Callicoon, N. Y.; "Containers and Plant Growth," moderated by William Boocock, Four Winds Nursery, Buffalo, N. Y.; "The Foreman Keeps the Show on the Road," moderated by Peter Costich, Hicks Nurseries, Inc., Westbury, N. Y.; "Up To Date for '58," moderated by Daniel Quigley, Maxwell, Bowden & Rice, Geneva, N. Y., and "Plant Insurance '58 Policy," moderated by David Bulk, Bulk's Nursery, Babylon, N. Y. These discussions will be reported in detail in a later issue.

#### PROPAGATORS' MEETING

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lings and grow them for two years in beds before potting them. The seedlings will have a well-developed root system by the time they are established in 2½-inch pots. The understock is grown in pots for one season and moved to a cool greenhouse during the fall and winter months. Grafting is done after growth has been established in the understock plants.

Mr. Ravenstein recommended the use of a large scion and a simple side graft or veneer graft. In his procedure, grafts are tied, but no wax is applied to the graft union. Grafted plants are put in benches containing sand, peat moss and Styrofoam, where they are buried to a point just above the graft union. Pots are laid at an angle, with the graft on the upper side. Two weeks after grafting, a third of the understock is removed, another third being removed in about two more weeks. Finally, the entire top portion of the understock is removed. The grafts are kept under shade to prevent their drying out during the first season outdoors.

Propagation of spruce by cuttings, the next subject, was treated in a paper prepared by Roy Oliver and Dr. Stewart Nelson, of the central experimental farms, Ottawa, Ont., Canada, and read by Dr. Nelson. He said that spruce is difficult to increase from cuttings, some

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varieties more so than others, but that side cuttings are normally more satisfactory than top cuttings. Large cuttings (10 to 20 centimeters in length) were reported better than shorter cuttings.

Use of vermiculite under mist has given good results, according to Dr. Nelson. The use of Hormodin or Chloromone resulted in a better root system, but a lower percentage of rooting under mist. Rooted cuttings should be held in a cold greenhouse for establishment. During the question-and-answer period after the discussion of spruce propagation, it was suggested that tests should be made in grafting of spruce during August and September. Wedge grafting of spruce was also reported as being practiced by some nurseries in France, and a brief discussion was held on the values of bottle grafting of blue spruce in open fields.

Papers read and discussions held during the rest of the program periods covered a wide variety of topics, including the propagation of annuals and perennials, propagating in containers, propagation and culture of broad-leaved evergreens, synthetic aids to propagation, plastic structures, washed-air cooling, dwarfing and hybridizing methods and techniques for producing many special plants. Summaries of these talks will appear in subsequent issues of the American Nurseryman.

#### SMART GIVEN SURGERY

Operated on December 5 because of an obstruction in the intestinal tract, William Smart, Shenandoah Nurseries, Shenandoah, Ia., was hospitalized for 10 days at Colorado Springs, Colo. He planned to recuperate at home until the first of the year, when he expected to resume work. Mr. Smart anticipates being present at the conventions of the Western Nurserymen's Association and Illinois State Nurserymen's Association in January.

APPROVAL was recently granted by zoning supervisors for the establishment of a wholesale and retail nursery southwest of Stanton, Calif.

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#### THIS BUSINESS OF OURS

Reflections on the Problems of Nurserymen

By E. Sam Hemming

#### CLIMATE AND GARDENERS

When we think of climate, it is usually in its relation to plants and hardiness. But climate has a considerable effect on the gardener's attitude toward plants, and it materially affects the design of his garden and the way he uses planting materials.

I have often bemoaned the infrequent use of bedding plants here in the east and the lack of color in the summer garden. More than likely this is a result of the hot summers rather than a lack of an urge to grow these plants. Not only do bedding plants suffer from the hot eastern summers, but also most gardeners leave for their vacations at that time of year.

Adverse growing conditions either discourage gardeners or stimulate them to make an extra effort to grow plants. The intensive use of flowers in northern Europe, which travelers so greatly admire, is probably the result of extra effort to grow things in an area where the winters are long, where light intensity increases brilliance of colors and where heavy population density makes people want to get their hands into at least a little bit of soil and to grow plants. Areas of great density of population in temperate zones, such as England, Holland and Japan, evidence great interest in gardening.

In the mild climate of tidewater Maryland, my own area, it is almost useless to fight the inclinations of the gardeners. The winters are short and moderately cold, the spring is fairly short, the summer is hot (and usually dry) and the autumn is at least four months long. The gardener likes quantities of evergreens for winter color, plenty of spring flowers and as much color as he can get in the fall. In the summer he wants to go fishing, boating or swimming; he does not want to garden.

The climate and locale also influence the design of the garden. Here he likes open spaces, a clear view to the water or shore line and perhaps a screening from his neighbors, but there is little or no desire for enclosure in the form of the old-fashioned Colonial garden or the modern court, patio or functional unit

Recently, a homeowner built a

modern home in this land of Colonial styles and hired a landscape architect whose chief interest was contemporary garden design. I was courious to see how he would tackle the problem. After much study he remarked, "In other areas we would design an enclosed unit for a property of this type, but here we will have to let it merge into the surroundings."

Warmer climates also have differing effects on gardeners, particularly in Florida and California, where the growth of plants is so profuse. I recall my father's story of a rich woman gardener who had moved from Pennsylvania to California. She wrote glowing letters of the ease and luxuriance with which plants grew and flowered. But within three years she had returned to Pennsylvania, complaining that gardening in the Golden state became almost boring and that there was no challenge to gardening there.

Gardening in the southeast follows

the pattern mentioned earlier for eastern Maryland. The fall, winter and spring are the colorful seasons, with gardening at a minimum in summer. In the northern states, however, particularly in the middle west, one can have little interest in a winter garden that is covered for several months by a foot of snow, but the cooler summer encourages the growing of plants at that time.

Thus the major interest evident in the north is in deciduous flowering plants and summer-blooming perennials. In addition, the growth and color of the blooms are better in the areas where the light is more intense but the temperature more moderate. It was interesting for me to note, on a recent trip to the city of Quebec, that in the newest part of the city nearly all the homes had sun decks for sunbathing and that the plantings were designed to provide the most color during the relatively brief summers.

Social custom seems to join with climate in influencing the design and nature of certain gardens. This is certainly true of Spanish gardens, both in Spain and in the American southwest, where the enclosed court or patio afforded both seclusion and protection from the heat and determined the nature of the garden. In

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- 200 Quercus palustris, 2 to 21/2-in. cal.
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the southwest the dry climate forced the greater use of structural material, such as tile, brick, adobe and wood, in garden design, as opposed to the use of plant material alone, which is usual in eastern gardens. While it is only a guess, I assume the giant dimensions of the west and the changing social customs of the population have encouraged the evolution of the Spanish style into the modern or ranch style and have changed the patio into a garden of broader dimensions and outlook.

The urge to grow things seems to be a universal one, and whenever man is placed in an area where the climate is most uncompromising, because of extreme cold, heat or dryness, the greatest effort is often made E. S. H. to grow some plants.

#### WISCONSIN CONVENTION [Continued from page 7]

viewed the accomplishments and proposed improvements in the state nursery laws. Although a bill for revisions in the law died in the last hurried days of the 1957 legislature, another attempt will be made this year to introduce such a bill, Mr. Halliday told the group.

Nurserymen were advised to familiarize themselves with the various plant pests, so that they will be able ILGENFRITZ NURSERIES, Inc.

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To prevent blister rust on white pine, he said, there should be a protection zone around the nursery of at least 900 feet, but preferably 1,500 feet, in which all currants and gooseberries are removed or killed. Mr. Halliday warned nurserymen not to break open packages of pesticides and sell them in unmarked contain-

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Thomas Pinney, Evergreen Nursery, Sturgeon Bay, discussed abuses of the reforestration program by the Wisconsin conservation department in an address delivered at the annual business meeting. Mr. Pinney stated that through inadequate investigation of the uses to which its trees are put, the department is actually supplying commercial Christmas tree growers and subdivision landscape men with state-subsidized trees in competition with private industry.

He asserted that the department's

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Oak. Pin, 11/4-in. cal., 2-in. cal.

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production has been expanded far in excess of actual forestry needs. Private growers of conifer seedlings and transplants have almost ceased to exist in Wisconsin, according to Mr. Pinney, and those few who remain have geared their sales efforts to the out-of-state market. Perhaps the worst aspect of the situation, he stated, is the fact that the state sells its output at about one third of the national average price for similar

Mr. Pinney also questioned the effectiveness of the state's reforestation practice of making extensive plantings of only one variety rather than a mixture of trees. Such plantings, he pointed out, can become incubation grounds for large-scale insect infestations. Mr. Pinney urged the members to continue their efforts to obtain appropriate legislation for these circumstances and suggested that the W. N. A. ask the conservation commission itself to comply with the following requests:

(1) That state-produced nursery stock be supplied only for bona fide forestry use; (2) that the department base its prices on an average of national prices in the free market; (3) that a representative of the Wisconsin Nurserymen's Association be invited to sit in on policy discussions in the state nursery system, and (4) that the department enforce more rigidly the provisions governing the use of state-produced nursery

#### Dutch Elm Disease

Dutch elm disease was discussed by George Hafstead, also of the state's plant industry division, who said that, although the disease now ranges all the way from the east coast to Missouri and Iowa, his recent tour of the east showed that there are still many stands of elms remaining in states or cities that maintain a definite control program.

Prevention is the best cure for Dutch elm disease, Mr. Hafstead reminded his audience. A good spray program and the removal of all dead elm wood is essential. He added that phloem necrosis kills thousands of trees a year, thus complicating the Dutch elm problem by providing additional breeding places for the elm bark beetle.

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The incidence of Dutch elm disease in Wisconsin has risen from 63 cases in 1956 to 370 in 1957, all of them in the seven southeastern counties of the state. This does not mean that the elm bark beetle cannot survive the cold winters in the northern part of the state, as some nurserymen believe. Experiments, in which elm logs infested with the

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bark beetle were placed in cages in Rhinelander and several other northern areas, proved that there was 40 per cent emergence of the beetles even after exposure to the severe temperatures which are experienced there. From check logs in the Madison area, the emergence was 60 per cent, but the smaller percentage was still enough to spread the disease.

Although the plant industry division now recommends spraying for Dutch elm disease only at temperatures above 45 degrees, said Mr. Hafstead, research in progress at Cornell University at far lower temperatures seems promising. Low-temperature spraying would be particularly valuable to Wisconsin, since it would lengthen the period in which spraying may be done. In addition, spraying at lower temperatures would reduce the deaths of songbirds from DDT, which might induce various bird groups to ease their fight against spraying.

Mr. Hafstead added that the elm bark beetles also find the Chinese elm an acceptable breeding place, making it necessary to destroy dead wood from these trees as well as from American elms.

#### **Nursery Problems**

A general discussion of the problems confronting the small nurseryman was moderated by John Orton, who asked first for opinions on what plants should be grown and how many. Ray Kuhn, of Synnestvedt & Associates, Glenview, Ill., suggested that there are just three kinds of

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The question of how to arrange the plants in a nursery and how much space to allow between rows was discussed by several of those present. One member recommended placing trees 10 feet apart in rows 10½ feet wide and growing three rows of a ground cover such as Euonymus vegetus or Euonymus coloratus between every two rows of trees, the ground cover to be sold before the trees get too large.

Wade Kumlien, Janesville, said that at one time the Kumlien Nursery was divided into small sections by grass roadways. Trees were planted at the edges of these roads, where they would be readily accessible. Now, however, the nursery is laid out with 2-year shrubs between the rows of trees, putting the land to maximum use even while providing ease of digging.

Mr. Kumlien commented that when one is calculating the proper width between rows in shrub plantings, he must consider not only the eventual size of the shrubs, but also the tenderness of the plants. Some varieties will be easily damaged when brushed by machinery, while others can survive such treatment. Valuable land should not be allowed to be tied up by one or two unsold specimens. If the cost of transplanting such specimens to a more suitable area is prohibitive, it is far better to remove them completely and let the land earn its keep with another crop. Mr. Kumlien said that his firm will not grow such items as magnolias, which are not hardy in Wisconsin, preferring to buy this stock rather than go to the expense of providing winter protection.

The men participating in the discussion differed as to the type of machinery they preferred. The general conclusion on this matter was that each type of machine is suitable for some particular nursery, and thorough investigation is the only certain way of finding the best one for a specific operation.

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they can cut maintenance costs by as much as \$500 or \$600 a year. Crag Sesone was recommended as an excellent pre-emergence material. Discussing the problem of what to do with surplus plant material, Ray Kuhn described a plant inventory system used in Illinois. Under this plan, periodic inventories are taken at participating nurseries, and a master list is compiled of surplus plants that the grower has for sale at retail. Thus, if a nurseryman does not have a certain item for a customer, he can, by referring to the list, tell him where to buy it at retail.

A Wednesday evening fun night and a Thursday evening entertainment and banquet were included in the convention program. In addition, there was a ladies' program, during which the ladies toured the George Watts china shop and the War Memorial building and had luncheon at the Chalet on the Lake.

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that are convertible to shelves or bulb bins, shadow boxes on walls for showing smaller items and barn-red display tables set outside to hold plants and other merchandise.

Fifteen or 16 per cent of the store space is devoted to gift items; 40 per cent to packaged goods (seeds and fertilizers), and the rest of the area is devoted to plants, tools and outdoor items, such as barbecue grills. Mr. Siebenthaler believes that customers get in the habit of looking for items in their accustomed places and like to find them there; so the arrangement of stock stays very much the same.

The Siebenthaler Co. does not make a practice of holding sales and never uses a sale to get rid of poor materials, as it feels its reputation is more important than moving such items. Mr. Siebenthaler described the firm's own seed and fertilizer packaging — red and white boxes and bags, with "Siebenthaler's" in large blue lettering. These distinctive packages are a trade-mark for the firm and identify the source of the product wherever it is being used.

The nursery business and the garden center have a beneficial effect on each other, Mr. Siebenthaler believes, and there is no conflict between the two. Landscaping materials are not booked in the garden center, but when a customer wants landscaping materials the order is turned over to the landscape salesman, who calls on the customer and so has a chance to sell proper materials and perhaps other items. The physical

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secretary of the American Association of Nurserymen, discussed the probability that the emphasis, rightfully he believes, in the next Congress will be on missile development, defense and foreign aid, making it more difficult to obtain funds for research, for the National Arboretum and for other projects which affect nurserymen.

#### **Highway Planting**

The A. A. N. office is promoting the planting of areas adjoining highways under the "Plant America" program. Construction engineers are beginning to realize that vast plantings of shrubs away from the riding surface will reduce maintenance problems, provide cover for wildlife and food for birds, prevent erosion and provide variation and beauty of scenery, which will give pleasure to the road users. Landscaping plans should be made at the time the road is planned. The use of plant materials in roadside plantings to protect realestate values, effect sound abatement and provide safety factors was also discussed.

Dr. White reported on the industrial planting competition this year, in which there were 67 entries and a great increase in quality over other years. He said the trend to larger families will produce a need for larger homes with good landscaping. There will be 2,000,000 new houses started each year beginning in 1961, Dr. White predicted, all of which will need landscaping. He also predicted that there will be no real recession in the years ahead, since the federal reserve bank and other agencies of the government have built so many checks and balances into the nation's economy.

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tageous, he pointed out. Often it is better to save the higher deductions for later years when more income is realized from the purchase of the equipment. Mr. Moseman advised that once the straight-line method has been adopted, a switch to the declining method cannot be made, but if the declining method has been employed, one can change to the straight-line method.

Making predictions on changes in the laws which may come up in the next Congress, Mr. Moseman pointed out the new line on the 1957 income tax return for listing traveling and entertainment expenses. He said this will not be required for 1957, but the government has cautioned people to keep records in case this regulation is instituted next

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18 to 24 ins., S	.17%
2 to 3 ft., S	.20
Prunus tomentosum	
4 to 6 ins., S	.04
6 to 9 ins., S	.05
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4 to 6 ins., T	.10
Viburnum carlesi	
4 to 6 ins., S	.16
6 to 9 ins., S	.18
9 to 12 ins., S	.221/4
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(Common Snowball), 2-in, pots .	.1,2
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year. The tax authorities are disallowing deductions for wives of businessmen when the wife is not instrumental in running the business.

Mr. Moseman believed the controversy over the salvage value of a piece of equipment would be eliminated, and talk has been heard about the possible elimination of income splitting between man and wife, which is prevalent in many states.

Since there is a need for more government income, and taxes cannot be raised, intensified efforts will be made to plug loopholes in the tax laws in order to bring added income for the government, concluded Mr. Moseman.

#### Irrigation

Talking on "Sprinkler Irrigation of Nursery Stock," Tuesday morning, December 9, was Dick Hanson, Rainey Sprinkler Sales, Peoria, Ill. He said that nurserymen should think of irrigation as a practice of controlling water—not only of supplying it, but in keeping water at an optimum level. For most efficient and profitable production of plants, all factors in growing need to be controlled.

In Nebraska, he related, the soil

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He pointed out that slower applications of water will lessen runoff;

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therefore, smaller and lower-pressure sprinklers are better when it is windy. He stated that the higher the operating pressure is, within the limits used, the better is the distribution.

Portable systems have a lower initial cost, said Mr. Hanson, but result in added labor cost. A permanent main line is used in the majority of cases, with the lateral lines being portable.

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	Juniperus virginiana burki (2) BURK RED CEDAR Hardy columnar Juniper with a dense steel-blue foliage. In the fall with cold weather it turns to a deep plum shade in color		.45	Juniperus virginiana kosteri (2) Koster Red Cedar A spreading Juniper with bluish-green foliage on rather long stiff branches.	

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Buxus koreana		
1-vr. pots. I to 4 ins	22.50	200.00
2-yr. pots, 3 to 5 ins	25.00	225.00
3-yr. pots, 3 to 6 ins	27.50	250.00
Euonymus radicans veget		200,00
1-yr. pots. 6 to 10-in.	drin	
stems	19.00	175,00
Euonymus radicans erectu	10.00	140.00
1-yr. pots, 6 to 10-in.	120	
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stems	17.50	150.00
Hedera helix (Hardy Balt	tie ivy	)
1-yr. pots, 8 to 10-in.		
stems	12.00	113.00
2-yr. pots, 10 to 12-in.		
stems	15,00	125.00
Juniperus pfitzeriana		
2-yr. pots, 8 to 10 ins	22.50	200.00
3-yr. pots. 8 to 10 ins	25.00	225.00
3-yr., TT. in field	37.50	350.00
Mahonia aquifolium		
1-yr, pots, 3 to 6 ins	22.50	200.00
Pyracantha royaleana		
1-yr. pots, 8 to 12 ins	17.50	
Pyracantha coccinea lalan		
1-yr. pots, 6 to 10 ins	22.50	200.00
Taxus cuspidata (Spreadin	e Yew	
1-yr. pots, 6 to 8 ins	20.00	185.00
2-yr. pots, 6 to 8 ins.	22.50	200.00
3-yr. pots, 6 to 10 ins.	25.00	225.00
3-yr., TT. light,	20.00	~~0.00
8 to 10 ins	97.50	350.00
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man in the audience that irrigating right after planting will aid in producing a good stand. Mr. Hanson related that his company had sprinkler heads which could swing through any degree of arc in both the upright and inverted position. The latter type, which can be regulated to a 180-degree arc, he said, is valuable for use in overhead irrigation near the edges of lath areas.

#### Panel Discussion

Completing the education portion of the program was a panel discussion held Tuesday afternoon, December 10. Serving as moderator was Robert E. Campbell, Campbell's Nurseries, Lincoln, while members of the panel included Wayne Whitney, extension horticulturist; Dr. John Weihing, extension plant pathologist, and Robert Roselle, extension entomologist, all of the University of Nebraska.

A disease referred to as "melting out" is common in Nebraska lawns, related Dr. Weihing. It is believed the disease is nurtured by moist conditions; so it is possible that removing clippings and mowing grass lower for more aeration will be beneficial. Captan and zineb used in high-pressure spraying will help to control the disease, he said. Marion bluegrass is very susceptible to rust in the Lincoln, Neb., area, related Dr. Weihing. Protective sprayings with zineb or acti-dione can be employed.

European elm scale is prevalent in Nebraska, stated Mr. Roselle. Dormant oil sprays applied in March are helpful, using three gallons miscible oil spray to 100 gallons of water. In late July and early August, a solution of four pounds of 25 per cent wettable powder of malathion and three pounds of 50 per cent wettable DDT powder in 100 gallons of water can be used against crawlers.

Oyster-shell scale on lilacs is serious at Lincoln, he related. A spray of two pints of 57 per cent malathion emulsified in 100 gallons of water should be applied when the eggs hatch about June 1 and again 14 days later.

For pine-leaf scale, liquid lime sulphur can be employed in March—one part to nine parts of water. Malathion also can be used the latter part of March. To control tip moth on pines, three to six pounds of 50 per cent wettable DDT powder to 100 gallons of water can be applied in May and the latter part of June.

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called to order Monday morning, December 9, by Don Goodmundson, Williams Nurseries, Lincoln, president of the Nebraska association. After James Elliott had read the minutes of the previous meeting and the treasurer's report had been heard, various committee reports

were presented.

Delivering the public relations committee report was Gus Gritzmacher, Plumfield Nurseries, chairman. He stated that after 10 to 12 years of constant determination on the part of the committee, two of the chief projects had been accomplished. The state now has a state landscape architect and also a state forester. Although the present conservation reserve program may demand too much of Karl Loerch's time, it is felt that the state forester will be able to get things organized to cover the state and be of good service to the nurserymen. Work, related Mr. Gritzmacher, is being done on getting tree surgeons in the state certified, but little success has been met in the past two years.

#### Legislative Report

Vernon Marshall, Marshall Nurseries, Arlington, reported as chairman of the legislative committee. He related that as a result of the plans formulated by the United States Department of Agriculture regarding the planting of trees in soil bank acres, a meeting was called by the American Association of Nurserymen of a group of nurserymen designated as the Plains states forestry committee. A joint meeting was

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held October 11, 1956, of members of this committee and government officials, to discuss the matter of forest tree seedlings to be used in the proposed tree-planting program of the Department of Agriculture.

The committee was assured that the government did not plan to produce seedlings. When the federal budget appeared, over \$15,000,000 was requested by the United States forest service for the production of seedlings. This was done in spite of a survey of commercial nurseries in the area which showed they could supply the seedlings required.

On March 1, 1957, a letter was

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sent out by the legislative committee, pointing out this reversal of plan and requesting all members of the association to write their Senators and Congressmen to vote against these budget proposals. On April 11, a second letter was mailed, with the same communication. As a result of these actions, the appropriations, except one providing funds for the production of Clark-McNary seedlings in state nurseries, were eliminated.

#### Highway Committee Report

Reporting as chairman of the highway planting committee, Mort

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Cooper, Plumfield Nurseries, Fremont, stated that the first step believed essential by the committee was to get a state landscape architect hired and then work through him for the development of highway planting plans. Working toward this goal, the committee met with the state engineer in December, 1956. Since the present plan for landscaping consisted of little more than sodding and seeding of shoulders, the possibility for more highway landscape development was discussed. The state engineer felt any such landscaping program would cost a minimum of \$50,000 and with the amount of money now being spent on highways by the state of Nebraska, he could not justify such an expenditure. He emphasized that he had received only one request for landscape plans in the past six years.

After the committee pointed out the benefits of highway planting and the advantages of having a landscape engineer, the state engineer revealed there were funds available for this position. As a result of the meeting, Mr. Cooper related that he wrote to Kansas State College and talked with Professor Rothacker at Iowa State College and, with continued work, Ted Wilding was appointed to the position of highway landscape architect July 8, 1957.

#### Added Reports

Added reports were heard during this business session. One on spray information, by Harvey Williams, indicated that oyster-shell scale, bagworm and red spider mite are all serious in the Lincoln area.

James Ager, superintendent of the Lincoln park department, reported that Dutch elm disease had now reached Iowa and Kansas and predicted it would reach Nebraska in two to five years. A meeting of mayors and other representatives of cities in Nebraska will be held about March 1, at Omaha, to discuss the threat of the Dutch elm disease. Mr. Ager reported an increase in the number of transient tree sprayers and urged the adoption of a licensing bill. However, such a law as there has been in Omaha since 1941 is only as strong as its enforcement, he commented.

The legislative committee was instructed to look into the matter of obtaining a licensing act for tree surgeons in Nebraska.

Dr. R. P. White appeared briefly on the program to talk about the American Association of Nurserymen and its many services to its members. He pointed out the news-letter, the merchandising and sales bulletin and

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6 to 12 leaves, 8c.

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the legislative reports. In addition he called attention to the personalized service rendered through the heavy correspondence carried on by the Washington office.

Mr. Gritzmacher, as chairman of the A. A. N. membership committee in the region, spoke briefly to encourage nurserymen to join the A. A. N., for it is more important than ever to have a strong national organization, he believed.

#### Research Corp. Meets

At a brief meeting of the Nebraska Research Corp. held Tuesday morning, Glenn Viehmeyer related his work on introducing new plants to the trade in order to accumulate funds for research in Nebraska. He said he had been in touch with propagaters in the east regarding a chrysanthemum variety; if several large firms were offered propagating rights, a royalty could be received for two or three years. Mr. Viehmeyer related that he had been approached by All-America Mum Selections, which wished to purchase the chrysanthemum outright. It was left up to the corporation to decide which way to destribute the plant.

#### Entertainment

Guest speaker at the banquet held Monday night was Dr. James Chubb, pastor of the Trinity Methodist church, Grand Island. Introduced as guests at the head table were Dr. White, and Fred H. Kilner, managing editor of the American Nurseryman. Entertainment consisted of top acts from the University of Nebraska talent contest and featured "The Coeds," a girl's singing trio, and a brother and sister act, with trombone and piano music and singing. Just prior to the banquet a social hour was held, with refreshments, courtesy of Plumfield Nurseries, Inc., and Mount Arbor Nurseries, Shenandoah, Ia. Luncheons were held Mon-

day and Tuesday noons, December 9 and 10.

#### DUTCH ELM SPREAD

Evidence of the speed with which Dutch elm disease is advancing westward was given recently in a report from Kansas City, Kan., that the disease was found there last November, a full year earlier than had been estimated. The report, contained in a news-letter of the Kansas Association of Nurserymen, also stated that Dutch elm disease may have advanced as far as 50 miles beyond the point at which symptoms of the disease were found.

PLANNING to increase their planted acreage this fall and next spring, Walter E. Line & Son, Indianapolis, Ind., have completed three of a projected 10 acres of plantings. Most of the salable stock is to be canned or potted.

### PLANT NOTES HERE AND THERE

By C. W. Wood

#### Prairie Mallow

While going over some old notes (1940) recently, I came upon one concerning a lovely variation of the prairie mallow, Malvastrum coccineum, that I was using at the time in an interesting experiment in dry-soil gardening. As I read the note (quoted here in part) I asked myself why so few neighborhood growers handle the plant.

"One of the best introductions so far into the dry garden is a single plant of Malvastrum coccineum, a chance seedling which has varied from the usual brick-red color of the type, showing a lovely shade of salmon pink with a coppery sheen. After a few seasons in the light, dry soil, it has begun to send up tufts of its gray leaves a foot or more from the parent plant, lighting up its en-tire area in June and July, and sometimes in August, with its bright, malvalike flowers." A tolerant plant, M. coccineum needs only light soil and sunshine to induce it to establish a colony of its silvery tufts. It is never a nuisance, even among delicate neighbors, because it seldom, if ever, forms dense mats of foliage. It is stoloniferous, to be sure, but the threadlike, underground runners extend a considerable distance before a tuft of leaves appears. I never found it easy to grow from cuttings; however, I hear that it is not too difficult from cuttings of new basal growths of nonflowering wood in early summer. That would necessitate wintering in a frame through the first winter, no doubt.

#### Three Unusual Tickseeds

A letter I received recently contained an inquiry about Leptosyne stillmani as a cut flower for spring sales. This is the California annual that is now designated Coreopsis still-mani, because "the technical char-acters do not really separate the group from coreopsis." The plant represents a real opportunity to the producer of cut flowers, because it comes so quickly into production and is so easily grown. For instance, my notes for 1930 reveal that seeds were planted in a cool temperature in late January (January 23, to be exact), and cutting commenced the first week in April. The seedlings were transplanted four inches apart in a bench of ordinary greenhouse com-

post when they had two true leaves. The house temperature was usually kept between 45 and 52 degrees, though there were variations due to outdoor conditions. Indoors, the plants reached a height of 15 to 18 inches and produced long-stemmed, golden-yellow flowers to two inches

Another Californian, Coreopsis maritima (Leptosyne maritima) is a perennial by nature, coming from the seacoast and therefore tender in northern Michigan. However, it may be grown indoors in the same manner as that outlined for stillmani, but it takes longer to come into flower (January plantings flower in May). The yellow flowers are larger than those of stillmani, but the plant's tardiness in coming into bloom makes it less desirable for cut flower sales in early spring.

The other tickseed that I was prompted to mention is C. tripteris. It has received attention several

times in this column during the past, and so need not be fully covered again. But its long-time and showy display of 11/2-inch, yellow-disked, vellow flowers in clusters at the top of tall stems from late August until severe freezing weather urges me to mention it again, in the hope that more neighborhood nurserymen will give it a trial. In good soil, it will grow to eight feet in height (it is not over half that in the solid grass sod of my neglected garden) and is then an imposing sight.

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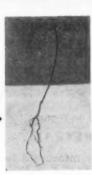
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#### Sorghastrum Nutans

Every time I commence to write about a native plant I remember the adverse comments on natives that appeared on the editorial page of this magazine some time ago; but even they cannot entirely still the pen when something unusual comes to my mind, as it did a few days ago when I saw, in the garden of a friend, a planting of the Indian grass, Sorghastrum nutans. The neighborhood nurseryman may never sell a million of them, but I venture the opinion that a showing of the plant in his grounds will interest many clients, especially those with dry places to clothe.

For instance, in the garden just mentioned, several clumps had been planted in good soil at the edge of a shrub border, where they had

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grown to a height of more than four feet (one clump was almost five feet tall) and made an impressive picture against the green background of shrubs. At the top of the clumps in summer appear foot-long panicles, beautifully decorated with many golden hairs and yellow anthers. Later, the panicles turn to a rich bronzy brown, giving another period of distinct beauty.

#### Silene Pudibunda

A recent inquiry on Silene pudibunda brought up pleasant memories of a splendid wall and rock garden plant that I had almost forgotten. I also remembered the awful confusion I encountered when the plant was in my trials and identification was attempted. Received here as Silene pudibunda, it also appeared in lists as S. quadrifida pudibunda, S. quadridentata and Heliosperma pudibunda. I shall not dwell upon the difference between Bailey, who prefers S. quadridentata, and Farrer, who places S. quadrifida in first place. I will only point out that these authors agree that both words mean the same plant, and that pudibunda is a form of it — a form "with broader leaves and rose-colored flowers," wrote Farrer, "which is found on primary rocks, and is rare. Owing to its moest habit, this blushing maiden is called S. q. pudibunda (Heliosperma)."

As it grew here in northern Michigan, it was a small plant, two or three inches tall, with threadlike stems furnished with tiny, glossy

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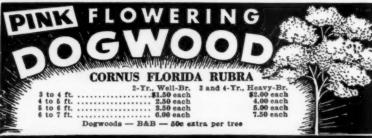
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leaves that insinuated themselves between the rocks in a pleasing way. If garden plants are to be measured by length of blooming season, this little catchfly can be numbered among the elect. It bloomed in my trials from June until frost, producing not just a few scattered flowers at a time, as is often the case with long-time bloomers, but rather a continuous display. My records reveal that I had it in seeds from four sources; all four samples produced flowers that were pure white when they first opened and later changed to pink, both colors being present on the plant at the same time.

Larger plants of S. pudibunda do not move easily, but they are no trouble at all when moved while small or when handled in pots, preferably in rose pots. If I were growing them commercially, I should handle them in pots, selling them the first year, if possible, from early-planted seeds. I did not grow it, so far as the notes indicate, in all the situations favored by alpine catchflies; so I cannot pass final judgment on its culture. However, it did well on a slight north slope, among rocks, where it had a cool root run and sun during all except the middle of the day. It comes quite readily from seeds, when they are available, and it is said to be no more difficult than the double form of S. alpestris.

#### Saponaria Caespitosa

An Ohio friend of this column, who has an interesting collection of plants and a good neighborhood nursery, writes as follows: "During the past few years, I have been trying to work up enough stock of saponaria caespitosa to offer it to my rock garden customers, but I do not get ahead very fast, mainly because I lose so many plants during the winter. Do you think the losses come from tenderness? What do you suggest?"

I scarcely know how to answer, because the plant was quite hardy in northern Michigan. However, it should be remembered that this section usually has a good snow blanket from November well into March and often into April. S. caespitosa might be tender to cold in snowless regions, as it is here in exposed situations. We must remember that we are dealing with a Spaniard, although the plant comes from the high Pyrenees. Knowing the soil of our friend's country, I should rather think that its heavy, fertile nature has more to do with his failures. In my trials, the plant was always best in light, infertile soil; in fact, I soon learned to give it a scree mixture on the limy side. There it was quite permanent,

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growing into little tufts of graygreen, linear leaves from a woody base and sending up 4-inch reddish stems that end in a cyme of two or three rose-pink flowers, opening from reddish buds. It makes a lovely, little ornament. Cuttings of green wood, taken in July, root quite readily in a gravelly, close frame. It is a slow-growing plant, so it should be kept in a protected frame over the first winter.

#### Erodium Macradenum

A western New York reader asks if he could hope to succeed with Erodium macradenum: If I understand the climate of that section, I see no reason why he could not. Although it comes from Spain, whence come many plants too tender for northern Michigan, it proved quite hardy here, doing especially well at the base of a south wall and in the wall itself, if it was not too dry.

In fact, E. macradenum largely compensated for the loss from cold of E. chamaedryoides, the pink herron's-bill by which most gardeners judge worthiness of other kinds. The macradenum has a long-blooming season, as have many erodiums, though it never was quite so floriferous as chamaedryoides, but one can expect some color (ordinarily pink

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flowers with deeper veins and a black blotch at the center) from June until frost. It is taller than chamaedryoides, reaching 18 inches in my trials, and the tufts of pale green, ferny leaves are more ample. It grows quite readily from cuttings of old wood at any season of the year. It is quited uncertain from seeds, perhaps because of poor viability. Then, too, seeds are seldom available in quantity.

#### Aster Royal Velvet

A preliminary report on the new English aster, Royal Velvet, was made in this column last winter. Now I should like, after watching the plant again, to say a few more words in its praise. Its behavior this year confirms all that was said about it previously. It makes a compact, bushy growth that is nearly completely covered with its almost double, dark violet-blue daisies, clear and sharp in their color. Everything about the plant is attractive, and it should be a good seller locally.

#### Variegated Thymus Serpyllum

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serpyllum and see what it has to offer in that line. Because they are useful in so many roles where yearround color is wanted, the two variegated forms of the mother-ofthyme, T.s. argenteus and T.s. aureus, are favorites of many experienced gardeners. During the years that I sold locally, I found that the golden variegated leaves of aureus were the better seller of the two, but in my planting work, I found that the silver of argenteus made a most pleasant foil for many harsh colors. I think that this correspondent and other growers will find both variegated forms of value in their work. not only as ground covers for small bulbs but also in many other spots where plants of their kind are called for. Cuttings root readily at almost any time of the year.

#### Double-Flowered Pyrethrum Galt Beauty

I saw for the first time last year a plant of the new double-flowered pyrethrum, Galt Beauty, and am most enthusiastic about it. Even if plenty of stock were available, I should not advise anyone to plunge heavily on it until he knows for sure how it will behave for him. Many double pyrethrums are unpredictable prima donnas. I could not tell from a casual examination what the plant would do over a 12-month period, but it looked fairly vigorous and quite happy in its sunny border, where it was assured of watering when needed. And it is a beauty! Lighter in hue than the lovely Helen and the center section of Jean, its flowers are large and quite freely produced. If it proves to be a sturdy grower, its delightful soft pink color and large flowers should make it a favorite. Any who grow pyrethrums will find it worthwhile to give the plant a trial.

#### Dianthus John Ball

Another year's trial of this old, old favorite convinces me that in John Ball, if that is the correct name for the plant, we have a really good, double, spice pink for American conditions. What causes one to express even a slight doubt about the name is the difference between the European description and the plant that I have under that name. I have an old description that I cannot find at the moment, so I substitute the following from Ingwersen (1949): "The center of the flower is white, surrounded by a deep crimson zone, and the white petals are edged with a narrow crimson line." The plant growing here as John Ball and seen in a few other gardens under that label is white with a red center. In

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any case it is a splendid pink, sturdy, floriferous and fragrant, blooming here in northern Michigan from early June well into July, often later. Even though it is so free-flowering, there is always enough blind wood for rapid increase.

#### MAIL-ORDER NURSERIES [Continued from page 14]

He does not attempt direct selling, but offers interesting novelties in several small advertisements, rather than one large advertisement. His theory is that he attracts more buyers by offering many items instead of featuring only one or two.

Turn to the garden sections of any daily newspaper and the chances are you will find numerous advertisements offering many items of nursery stock at low prices. If you are planning to advertise on some of these same pages you may be disturbed by what looks like severe competition, but the merchandise offered is not worth any more than the price that is asked for it. The shade trees that sell three for \$1 are only seedlings a few inches high. The rosebushes that are offered for \$3 per dozen are too small to meet the requirements of any standard grade and usually are not worth planting.

#### **Bargain Competition**

The buyers who fall for these bargains are almost invariably disappointed and will not knowingly buy from the same nurseries again. Consequently, the advertiser of inferior and undersize stock has to depend upon a new crop of customers every year. He has no continuing benefits from his advertising and is not building a substantial busi-

Naturally it is disconcerting to find your advertisement offering No. 1-grade fruit trees for \$3 each, appearing alongside another which has fruit trees priced as low as 25 cents. Fortunately most readers are intelligent enough to realize that merchandise usually is worth no more than the price asked for it. This must be true, because many responsible and successful mailorder nurserymen continue to use the newspapers to advertise their products. The newspaper publishers are aware of the situation and would like to do something about it. However, as long as the ads submitted to them by the marginal operators conform to the fair trade practice rules for the industry, there is little they can do.

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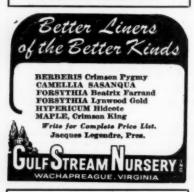
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A word of caution: Do not buy mailing lists, even though they consist of names of actual purchasers of nursery stock. Remember they are not your customers and probably never heard of you. One nurseryman who built up his mailing list in two years to 80,000 by buying names found that he did no greater volume of business than another nurseryman who had a mailing list of only 25,000 built by advertising.

#### **Record Results**

Keep detailed records of your advertising results. This will furnish you with the information you need to make the most intelligent distribution of your advertising funds the following year. The first year you will have to rely solely upon your own judgment or that of your agency, but in subsequent years you can eliminate a large part of the guesswork in advertising because you will know from experience what results to expect from each publication.

You should know how many inquiries each publication produces for each advertisement used and from what states or areas the inquiries come. Then, at the end of the season, by dividing the cost of the space in each publication by the number of inquiries produced by that publication, you can arrive at the cost per inquiry.

Some of the results may surprise you. For example, a publication with a high advertising rate might pull so many inquiries that the cost per inquiry will be lower than that of names obtained through publications with low advertising rates. Rates are based, to a large extent, on circulation.

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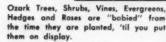
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result in orders. On the other hand. you will find some periodicals that pull comparatively few inquiries, but a high percentage of them turn into orders. The publication that has the greatest value to you is the one that produces the greatest volume of business per dollar invested in advertising space. Several years of careful record keeping will be required before you have enough information to make a complete appraisal of each publication used.

#### Use Keved Ads

In order to obtain the information you need from advertisements you should follow the practice known as keying. One way is to give each publication a letter and each advertisement a number. For instance, you might be advertising dwarf apples in the "Farmer's Friend." The letter A could stand for "Farmer's Friend" and the number 6 for the dwarf apple advertisement. Thus when inquiries come addressed to you with the combination A-6, you know immediately what advertisement your prospect read and in what publication it was seen. There are many other ways of keying that your ingenuity will suggest to you.

If a prospect does not order after a year or two, remove his name from your list. Avoid cluttering up your list with names of folks who are not customers, because it costs money to print and mail catalogs. Make every effort to send them only to people

who are interested.

Mailing lists are best kept by a card system. If only one name is placed on a card, the system can be completely flexible, so that additions and removals are easy. There are several modifications of the card system. One of the best consists of a rigid stencil instead of the ordinary card. The essential information about the customer's account is recorded on the margin of the stencil, which is made for that express purpose, and the customer's name and address is cut on the stencil with a typewriter. The stencils are run through a machine for quick and accurate addressing of catalogs and other literature.

The most practical method of filing names in large numbers is to file first by states, then alphabetically by towns and, finally, alphabetically by surnames. Use index guides to aid in filing or finding names quickly.

On the customers' cards in your mailing list, record the date and source of the original inquiry, if known, and dates and amounts of orders received. This information will enable you to determine which

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advertising media result in the most business. Remember, it is not always the medium that pulls the greatest number of inquiries that proves the most profitable.

## Eliminate Nonbuyers

Many folks who ask for catalogs never become customers. After they have received two or three catalogs without ordering, their names should be removed from your list. Some firms with large mailing lists do not mail more than one catalog unless the inquirer sends an order. You can reduce your selling costs materially by keeping your mailing list active and up-to-date. Established firms figure they have to sell a certain number of dollars' worth of merchandise per catalog to make the business profitable. The mailing of many catalogs that result in no orders at all pulls down the average rapidly.

Your catalog is your salesman; as such it is your most important publication. The most skillfully built catalog is ineffective if sent to a poor mailing list; conversely, a carelessly written, poorly printed catalog will not produce the business you have a right to expect from a good mailing list. It is quite obvious, therefore, that for both the mailing list and catalog to be effective they must be the product of your best efforts.

Good mail-order catalogs were printed in this country more than a century ago, but they were more in the nature of reference works. They merely listed the varieties, with descriptions, and did not make much effort to sell the product. All that is changed today. With the modern developments in the art of color printing, the nurseryman is now able to illustrate his products in all their glory.

## Catalog Offers

When you start to build a mailorder catalog, the first thing to do is to select the assortment that you wish to offer. This is a highly important job, because the nearer your offerings conform to what the public wants the easier your selling job will be. To illustrate: Suppose you are growing a certain little-known variety of shrub in large quantities or are able to buy it cheap. You decide you can make a lot of money out of this shrub, because of the low cost. The chances are you will find that it sells poorly, even at a low price. A good illustration and a snappy description will help, but the space in the catalog probably will not pay for itself.

On the other hand, a shrub that is [Continued on page 96]

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## LOS ANGELES CHAPTER

Christmas was the theme of the meeting held November 27 at Eaton's Santa Anita restaurant, Arcadia, by the Los Angeles chapter of the California Association of Nurserymen. A panel group, consisting of Ed Lowell, Paul Davis, Ed Boyer and Rufus Orson, of Sierra Growers, Sierra Madre, demonstrated the planting of dish gardens and the arranging of foliage and flowering plants for Christmas gifts. The panel was introduced by program chairman Harold Botts, Botts Nursery, Anaheim,

William Abate and Phil Frankel, Park Nursery, Long Beach, showed how to wrap plants beautifully for Christmas, using inexpensive ribbon and decorative wrappings.

President Norman Springer, Bandini Fertilizer Co., Los Angeles, announced that the Christmas party to be held jointly with the Orange County and Sunset Chapters would take place December 16 at the Candlewood Country Club.

He expressed thanks to Harold Botts, vice-president; Lynn Mossholder, Mossholder Nursery, El Monte, and Dick Meadows, Meadows Bros., Altadena, secretary, for helping to make the installation meeting a success. The new officers and board of directors were then presented. President Springer stressed the importance of four committees this year: Publicity, International flower show, membership and plant forum.

For the plant forum, Otto Martens, Deigaard Nurseries, Monrovia, told of some of the botanical highlights of his recent trip to Europe and discussed trees found in England that are similar to some in southern California.

Among the 106 members and guests who attended the meeting were Eldon Paddock, president of the Orange County chapter, and Mrs. Paddock; Frank Matsuura, San Marino Nursery; Jeff Simpson, recently arrived from England; Ronald Miller; Ed Baldwin and Jerry Brewerd, students at California State Polytechnic College, and state vice-president, James Perry, Perry's Plants, Montebello.

Dick Meadows, Sec'y.

## INLAND EMPIRE CHAPTER

Members of the Inland Empire chapter, California Association of Nurserymen, held their November meeting at the Saboba Hot Springs resort, near Hemet, Calif.

Hosts for the social hour preceding dinner were Howards of Hemet and the Hemet Wholesale Nursery, represented by Mr. and Mrs. Paul Howard; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howard; Robert Lindquist, president of the Inland chapter, and Mrs. Lindquist; Robert's father, Ernest Lindquist; Richard Howard; Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hansen; Mr. and Mrs. Keith Monaghan, and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Weaver.

Guests included state officers of the C. A. N., who were introduced by the Inland chapter's vice-president and program chairman, Jim Hunt, Jim Hunt's Landscape Center, San Bernardino.

Each officer spoke briefly. Elmer

S-37\* ROOTSTOCK

J. Merz, executive-secretary, discussed the formation of the state association 46 years ago. Today, he said, the membership has grown to over 1,000. Vice-President James Perry, Perry's Plants, Montebello, stated that a 10 per cent gain in membership is the goal for this year and stressed the importance of public relations, newspaper and magazine garden items and advertising to the trade. President Willis Stribling's Nurseries, Merced, visualized expanded projects, such as highway planting and community and farm planning, for the chapters.

## LOS ANGELES PROBLEM

Bill Evans, Evans & Reeves, Los Angeles, Calif., outlines a difficult local situation in the following letter:

"After 22 years in the retail business at Los Angeles, we are closing up and going out of retail trade. The corporation, however, will continue to remain active, concentrating on landscape installations, which have been a large part of our endeavors for the past years.

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Proclaiming another happy year

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rare and unusual specimen material, is disappearing from the economic scene. The chain stores in this part of the country are absorbing quite a share of the nursery trade in common materials, and city locations on which to conduct a general nursery business are prohibitively costly. In recent years, a number of local nurseries apparently have come to this same conclusion, and I sincerely feel that in the years to come it is going to be far from easy to procure the new and unusual in plants. The emphasis will be on merchandising, with the merchandise itself of secondary importance."

## CONTAINER PLANTS

A recent publication issued by the University of California puts on many pages between attractive, stiff paper covers, the "last word" on the principal phases of container produc-

This publication, California experiment station manual 23, "The U. C. System for Producing Healthy Container-grown Plants," edited by Kenneth F. Baker, is the outcome of 16 years of research, experiment and study. It contains far more accurately compiled data than the average nurseryman will absorb at any one sitting. Therefore, it becomes not a

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PLANT PROPAGATION, by Mahlstede and Haber. New techniques of propagation. 413 p. (1967) \$7.50. American Nurseryman Chicago 4. standardization wherever and when ever possible.

The major parts of this system have been in use at the D. Hill Nursery, Dundee, Ill., for over two years. While there are always some difficulties to be expected in the adoption of any "new tool," these are problems easily solved, and the results speak most loudly for themselves. The principal advantages of this system, and those most readily observed, are the much higher growth rates and vastly improved harvesting percentages.

This publication is available for \$1 (while the supply lasts) by remitting to Agricultural Publications, 22 Giannini Hall, University of California, Berkeley 4, Calif. In lots of 10 or more the university grants a discount of 20 per cent. In connection with this major publication, there is also available at no charge, leaflet 89, "The U. C. Type Soil Mixes for Container-grown Plants." This leaflet reproduces most of the references, tables and charts dealing with the U. C. type of soil mix described fully in the large manual.

Stress should be laid on the advisability of ordering your copy of the manual 23 early, for only a limited number are scheduled for printing.

No attempt is made in this short review to list all of the chapter titles, but it should suffice to say that no modern, progressive nursery should be without this publication.

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## NEW REED'S GARDEN MART

Reed's Garden Center, Eugene, now has two locations. Mr. and Mrs. Reed Vollstedt, owners of the business, opened a second garden center November 8 and 9 at 60 Oakway road, Eugene. The firm has a beautiful 20x40-foot sales building, with a 10-foot porch all the way around it for display of fertilizers, peat moss and garden equipment. Within the building is a well-planned garden shop with a comprehensive stock of garden equipment and supplies.

Over 4,000 square feet of covered display and sales area for nursery stock are afforded by a 40x44-foot shade house which is covered with heavy plastic (Kodapak II—10 mm.). This is the first plastic-covered shade house used in a garden center in this area. It provides winter protection for azaleas, rhododendrons and other plants and will also protect customers and flowering plants from spring showers. A complete line of nursery stock is carried in the 90x100-foot nursery salesyard,

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Comtesse de Bouchaud, pink Crimson Star, red Henryi, white Jackmani, purple

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Each Freight Prepaid New Blood-Red - 7-in. flowers ..... \$1.20 Strawberry-Rose—8 to 10-in. flowers . 1.20 Star-White-7-in. flowers ..... 1.20 Crimson Wonder-8-in. flowers ..... 1.20 Orders in units of 5. No orders for less than 30 clumps.

# **NURSERYMEN'S EXCHANGE**

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which adjoins the shade house. The parking area of 20,000 square feet accommodates 30 cars. During the open house coffee and doughnuts were served, and free gifts were given to all the ladies. A pony ring was operated for the children.

In charge of the new garden center is John M. Beck. Lee Hatch will be sales manager at the old location, Fifth and Blair streets, Eugene, where Mr. Vollstedt maintains his office. Mrs. Vollstedt will spend most of her time at the new location. C. H. P.

# **CALIFORNIA ARBORISTS**

At the monthly meeting of the California Arborists Association held November 20 at Redwood City, a motion picture on the work being done in reforestation by private organizations was shown. A paper firm, well known for its activities in reforestation and for the operation of its tree farm, sponsored the showing. Some of the members of the group who had experience with the reforestation projects of the United States forestry service indicated they felt the story did not give the federal agencies full credit for the work they are doing in that regard.

Part of the evening was devoted



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to a discussion of new pesticides soon to be offered to the operators and to new or better methods of pest control and tree surgery. The group also decided to continue its annual banquet program and decided to hold the next affair at Rickey's, at Palo Alto, January 17. At that time new officers will be installed and old-timers will be called on to keep the newcomers informed on the traditions of the profession.

## **OREGON NOTES**

Paul Van Allen, Portland, president of the Oregon Association of Nurserymen, and Joe Klupenger, Portland, O. A. N. convention chairman, have announced the following speakers for the winter convention to be held January 30 and 31 at the Multnomah hotel, Portland: Julius Heines, plant pathologist, Oregon state department of agriculture;

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Robert Walker, Holgate Nursery, Portland, has been informed that two landscape plans of his firm have received recognition in the "Plant America" competition of the American Association of Nurserymen. One award went to Tucker Oral school, Portland, and another to the Eastport Plaza branch of the United States National Bank of Portland.

R. S. Mullison, chairman of the transportation committee of the O. A. N., has sent another protest concerning the lack of railroad cars that have sufficient capacity for 30,000 pounds of nursery stock. This protest was directed to M. F. Edbrooke, who serves as chairman of the transcontinental freight bureau.

Samuel Rich, Rich & Sons Nursery, Hillsboro, was commended by officers of the A. A. N. for the statement he made at a recent wage and hour hearing held at Portland.

A report from the "Christmas tree capital of the world," Shelton, Wash., states that the volume of trees sold the past season was the greatest to date. One firm, the G. R. Kirk Co., Tacoma, Wash., reported that it shipped a total of over 3,000,000 trees

Mrs. Nettie Gale, an expert for the past 45 years in the growing and handling of northwest native plants, died November 28 at her home at Portland at the age of 89.

Seventy-five nurserymen and florists attended the annual meeting of the Oregon Flower Growers' Market Club at Portland November 26. After a potluck dinner, the nurserymen provided the entertainment for the evening. Mrs. Betty Abbott, Abbott's Green Thumb, Portland, sang, and W. P. Nuffer, Mountain View Nursery, Gresham, showed colored slides of his trip into remote parts of Utah. Speakers were Paul Van Allen and Chapter Presidents Robert Walker and Roy Smith, Valley View Nursery, Portland. Mr. Walker acted as master of ceremonies for the evening's program of

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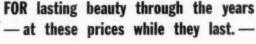
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Robert Snodgrass, Esch Nursery, Portland, was elected president of the Portland Landscape Gardeners' Association at a recent annual meeting. Other officers elected were Lawrence Underhill, Portland landscape architect, vice-president; John Carle, Landscape Service, secretary, and Frank Tooze, Sunset Landscaping Co., treasurer. Trustees elected were Robert Ryan, James Wagner and Riley Stevens. Jack Abbott was named as alternate. C. H. P.

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, 2¼ -in. r. pots,		Thuja occ. wareana (Siber
	180.00	1-yr., 21/4-in. r. pots,
o 12 ins	230.00	2-yr., TT, 6 to 8 ins.
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xus cusp. capitata, sdlggrown , 24-in. r. pots,		1-we 91/-in a note
o 6 ins 22.50		4 to 6 ins
, 2¼-in. r. pots,	250.00	4 to 6 ins
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0 12 ins 30.00	275.00	1-yr., 2 1/4-in. r. pots,
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, 2¼-in. r. pots, 10 6 ins,	100.00	3 to 6 ins
TT. 6 to 12 ins 35.00	325.00	Ilex crenata hetzi
xus media hatfieldi		1-yr., 2 1/4-in, r. pots.
		4 to 8 ins
rue media hatfieldi No. 18	210.00	4 to 8 ins
2¼-in. r. pots,	190.00	4 to 8 ins
2¼-in. r. pots, 6 ins	100.00	Ilex crenata rotundifolia
12 ins 25.00	230.00	1-yr., 2 1/4 -in. r. pots,
TT. 8 to 12 ins 50.00	450.00	2-yr., 21/2-in, r. pots,
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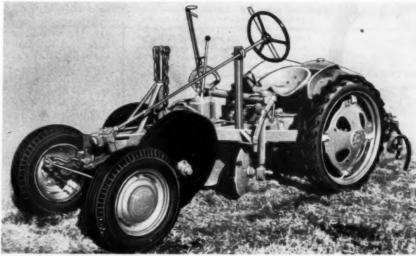
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## Tree Surgery

The next speaker was Larry Wachtel, Wauwatosa, whose firm,

Wachtel Tree Service, specializes in tree surgery and large tree grafting. Little tree damage occurs in nurseries, said Mr. Wachtel, but trees are frequently damaged when they are in their permanent locations. Much of this damage is done by contractors during home building. Often, the damage does not show up until years later, at which time the surgery is a major job.

Mr. Wachtel showed a number of slides of his work over the years with shade and ornamental trees, which pointed up the fact that a properly handled repair job is almost invisible within a few years. Merely coating the area of a tree from which bark has been removed is not sufficient, said Mr. Wachtel, even when it is recoated annually. Wherever bark is removed, the inside of the tree is exposed to damaging fungus. He recommended an inorganic filling for large wounds, consisting of the type of concrete mixture that will remain flexible enough to move with the tree and allow for expansion and contraction.

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having his trees taken care of is to improve their appearance, and he is happy if they are kept presentable even if all disease is not removed A good seal will at least keep our weather and moisture, thus slowing the inroads of the damage.

Some of the slides which Mr. Wachtel projected showed the effects of lightning damage. In such cases he said, permanent repairs are put off for two years, during which time the tree is kept under observation to determine the amount of root dam. age. Meanwhile, the damaged wood is dressed out and the area coated annually. Brace cables and rods are often essential to strengthen weakened limbs. Mr. Wachtel pointed out that his firm always fills trees in the natural shape of the trunk, to avoid a flat-sided look and that it is necessary to provide for adequate drainage behind the filled area of a tree Much of the work of the tree surgeon is made necessary because nature itself does not always build properly. Mr. Wachtel cited as an example the Moline elm. with its fatal V-shaped fork, which often causes one side to split away. In some varieties of trees, it is possible to prune away the V forks while they are young, but in the Moline elm it is such a standard characteristic of growth that other means must be employed.

Brace cables and rods used as a preventive measure are the best treatment for the V fork. However, even in the event that one branch is split away in a storm, it can sometimes be saved by raising it back into place and installing adequate reinforcement and guy wires. The importance of guy wires should not be underestimated, said Mr. Wachtel. Many small trees would take hold better with the assistance of properly

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## **Bridge Grafts**

Other slides which Mr. Wachtel projected showed how bridge graft repairs were made to trees girdled by rabbits or mice. Strong water suckers from the top of the tree are inserted under the bark on each side of the girdle, tacked in place and covered with wax. A guard of No. 2 hardware cloth is then installed to prevent mice and rabbits from attacking the grafts.

In cases where girdling damage is close to the ground, said Mr. Wachtel, tiny trees are planted all around the large tree and their tops grafted to the trunk. April and May are good months for this work, he added, although grafts will sometimes catch

later in the season. Hubert E. Halliday, of the state of ERYMAN

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Wisconsin plant industry division, discussed care of nursery stock in the garden center. Nursery stock is a big business in the state, Mr. Halliday told the group, with present figures showing 777 nurseries; 625 outlets of the variety store, grocery store, plant stand and garden center types; 686 nonresident nurseries that have registered in order to do business in the state, and 704 agents.

## Variety Store Sales

The variety and department store operations are, in general, poor ones, because they do not have proper facilities for handling the stock and the clerks know nothing about the plants and often dislike getting their hands dirty to sell them. In this sort of operation, packaged plants are stocked in the spring and are sold out as rapidly as possible. There are many things which can and do go wrong in such an operation, said Mr. Halliday.

The plant operations of grocery stores have changed somewhat in recent years. At one time, such stores limited themselves to perennials in flats, and these held up well under retail conditions. Now, however, these stores are entering the field of packaged stock and B & B evergreens. The number of such outlets



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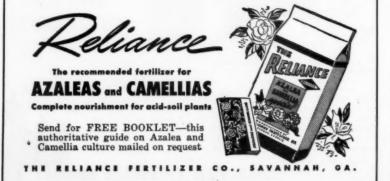
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is increasing, particularly in small towns without nurseries, where people are literally starving for good nursery stock and where they prefer not to buy from an agent. When the handling of nursery stock is put into the hands of the produce department, it is usually a good operation, since these people are used to dealing with perishable merchandise.

Garden centers are also undergoing changes, in that they are no longer strictly a spring business. With the potting of plants and the addition of Christmas tree sales, they often continue through December.

## Care of Retail Stock

Mr. Halliday stressed the need to keep all nursery stock in an adequately moist condition. Perennials in small packages of peat moss dry out quickly, and fast-moving sales are necessary to avoid loss. Simply lifting a packaged rose to see if it is lighter than when it was put out for sale will indicate when the plant is lacking in moisture.

B & B evergreens should not stand on concrete, black top or gravel, which tend to draw the moisture out of the ball. They should be stored in beds set on some moisture-retaining material. State law requires that evergreens be in a viable condition, although Mr. Halliday expressed a preference for the law's former wording, which stated that they must be in "a vigorous growing condition."

Mr. Halliday suggested that in selling packaged roses one should keep representative stock on display at all times, with the remainder of the supply stored in a cool place until needed. The speaker also warned against bringing stock in too early in the spring, when there is still danger of cold damage. He recommended stocking plants late enough so that they can be sold as soon as they arrive.

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Mr. Halliday reminded nurserymen that a copy of the dealer's license must accompany each sale of nursery stock. Nonhardy stock should be labeled as such, with the fact that it needs winter protection noted on the tag.

## Landscape Awards

A contest in landscape design for members of the W. N. A. was an innovation this year. Entrants were given the choice of two problems, the typical builder's lot with a low-priced home, or a large lot with a higher-priced home. Award winners were: First, Tom Lied, Lied Nursery & Landscaping, Milwaukee; second, James Bennet, Hawks Nursery Co., Wauwatosa, and third, Ralph Pe-

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It is important, too, to promote the idea that the omission of trees in urban planning would be as bad as omitting some public utility. The speaker deplored the trend toward black-topping recreation areas, such as school playgrounds, instead of providing adequate landscaping. Mr. Stiefvater called for a better under-

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## Garden Center Merchandising

A panel of W. N. A. members took up the problem of buying and selling merchandise for garden center profits. Ralph Petranek served as moderator, assisted by Kenneth Greaves, Greaves Landscape Nursery, Milwaukee; Delmar Lied; Al Wetli, Wetli Landscape Service, Green Bay, and Francis Lamb. The panel members were in general agreement on the need for a good system of record keeping. Mr. Greaves recommended the use of a cash register which breaks down sales into divisions, such as evergreens, bulbs, perennials and supplies. By keeping a record of the costs of such items and comparing them with the sales, a man has a rough idea of whether he is making a profit or taking a loss on any given

Mr. Petranek described the operations of a large garden center which keeps detailed records of every item according to season and according to each week within the season. Orders are placed on a weekly basis, and sales are checked each week against the comparable week in the previous year to see if the order needs to be revised.

Mr. Wetli commented that a garden center located far from its suppliers cannot use such a system. It must, instead, figure its orders for the entire season at one time.

Mr. Greaves told about the card index system his firm uses, with a separate card for each of the 1,200 varieties of plants that the company handles. These cards show what is available in the company's own fields and what has been ordered from outside sources and thus prevent overstocking of any one item. The system requires perhaps one evening a month to keep it up to date. Mr. Lamb suggested that if a nurseryman anticipates selling 150 units of an item in a season, he should have 50 in the field and order only 100. Then, in the event that he can only sell 120, the rest are in good condition in the field.

## Markup, Sales Discussed

It was suggested that a 100 per cent markup be used, except in the case of highly perishable items, on which the markup must be higher to absorb the losses.

Opinions differed as to the wisdom of conducting sales of nursery stock at special prices. Mr. Greaves found that customers tend to hold back their purchases at regular prices, waiting for a sale. Mr. Wetli, how-



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ever, had good results with a mid-August sale in which he offered a 10 per cent discount on anything delivered before September 1. He stated the sale helped keep his employees occupied during a slack period. Mr. Lamb was opposed to sales, preferring to convey the idea that his firm has, in effect, a perpetual sale, because the stock is actually worth more than the price he is asking. H. E. Halliday commented from the floor that his department takes a dim view of nursery stock sales, since they are so often held when the stock is in too poor a condition to be sold at all.

### Christmas Trees

Various aspects of the Christmas tree business were discussed, with Mr. Wetli leading off with the subject of merchandising. He projected a number of slides showing his operations and also displayed some of his advertising material, which has proved highly successful.

William Rieck, Floc-Flo Engineering Design, Minneapolis, Minn., and Chicago, Ill., demonstrated Christmas tree flocking in a plastic booth especially set up for the occasion. The adhesive is the most important item in flocking, said Mr. Rieck, and he recommended a good application before the flock material is sprayed on. The flocking is then applied with a spray in one hand, while a spray in the other hand applies additional adhesive. The two sprays should be applied in a V, with the flock hitting the adhesive just before it hits the tree. In this way, the adhesive carries the flock into the tree. Good hand action is necessary to avoid matting the needles together.

Leland Jens, Jens Nursery & Landscape Co., Wisconsin Rapids, predicted that in years to come the greatest Christmas tree business will involve trees specifically grown for the purpose, rather than native trees. The supply of good native trees is dwindling, and the remaining trees tend to be of poor quality and shape, while the public is demanding more perfect, symmetrical trees.

## A. A. N. Address

Richard P. White, Washington, D. C., executive vice-president of the American Association of Nurserymen, told a dinner group that shrubs planted along sections of the new interstate highway system could increase safety and reduce maintenance costs. He said plantings on curves could stop headlight glare and, if coarse, intertwining shrubs were used, could act as barriers for cars out of control. Additional benefits of highway plantings in urban



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Mr. White presented several awards for good industrial landscape design to state firms on behalf of the A. A. N. Recipients were the McKay Nursery Co., Madison; two Madison firms whose premises the McKay firm designed, the Seven-Un Bottling Co. and the Democrat Printing Co.; the Carl Gerlach Co. Milwaukee, and the Nordberg Mfg Co., whose landscaping was designed by the Gerlach firm.

At a short course luncheon held in the Empire room on Wednesday noon, the group heard the Hon. Donald W. Gleason, municipal judge of Brown county and judge of the juvenile court.

## A.A.N. CHAPTER ELECTS

Approximately 25 Wisconsin nurserymen attended a meeting of chapter 15 of the American Association of Nurserymen held December 5 during the annual convention of the Wisconsin State Nurserymen's Association. Elected as delegates to the 1958 A. A. N. Convention at Dallas, Tex., were Walter Redmond, Carl Gerlach Co., Milwau-kee, and Thomas Pinney, Evergreen Nursery Co., Sturgeon Bay. Chosen as alternates were Robert Gieringer, Milwaukee, and Kenneth Altorfer, McKay Nursery Co., Madison.

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After lunch, Richard P. White, executive vice-president of the A. A. N., Washington, D. C., spoke to the group about the work being done by the A. A. N. to encourage highway planting in conjunction with the national system of roads that will be built, and he encouraged this group, as well as the Wisconsin State Nurserymen's Association, to do all it can in contacting highway officials and in getting garden clubs and Rotary, Kiwanis and other such groups behind the move for good highway planning.

## MAIL-ORDER NURSERIES [Continued from page 73]

well known to everyone, given the same amount of space, will outsell the unknown shrub several times over. Of course, you cannot fill your catalog with varieties of equal popularity, but try to pick out as many winners as possible. One way to do this is to analyze the catalogs of a number of successful mail-order firms operating in the same territory that you plan to cover. If a certain variety is listed in all or most of these catalogs, you can be fairly sure

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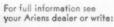
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it is a popular item. Your wholesale sources can also be helpful in aiding you to choose the best varieties. You must make sure the varieties you select for listing are available.

## New Items

Novelties can be profitable. The most successful mail-order firms are constantly on the lookout for new items of proven merit. Many gardeners want new plants and are willing to pay high prices to get them. But do not make the mistake of offering new items that have not been thoroughly tested in the area you serve. You will do your customers a disservice if you sell them plants not adapted to their conditions, and their dissatisfaction will hurt your

Make your descriptions brief and to the point. No one likes to read long, detailed dissertations. Put yourself in the customer's place. Try to figure out what he most wants to know about your product and then tell him in your most interesting manner. Stick to the truth; do not exaggerate. Just as in advertising, a straightforward statement is most effective.

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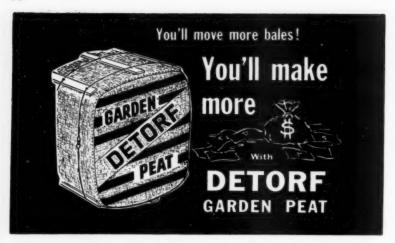
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LABORATORIES OF SOIL & PLANT RESEARCH, INC. their articles as they possibly can Illustrations should be clearly captioned, so that there will be no double in the mind of the observer. Conside the use of 4-color illustrations. There is probably no other product the lends itself more readily to the use of color than nursery stock. Mammail-order nursery catalogs are things of beauty with their gorgeon illustrations in full color. More firm are employing color in their catalogs and many catalogs are illustrated entirely in color.

## Catalog Costs

Among the largest single items of cost in the production of a catalogare the composition and make-up Composition is the setting of you copy into type. Any mistakes in the original copy that you supply the printer will have to be corrected later. Making corrections after the type has been set is expensive. Therefore, you should prepare your copy carefully to eliminate as many mistakes as possible.

Make-up is the work of assembling the type and the cuts (illustrations for printing. The type has to be as ranged in pages, and the cuts have to be put in their proper places and captioned. By providing accurate and not too complicated page layout you can save the printers time and yourself money.

If the catalog is to be printed in full color, the paper has to gethrough the press four times. It take great skill to register the four impressions so accurately that the resulting illustrations will be sharp and clear-cut. When you see fuzzy and blurred color pictures you know that there was a sloppy job of press make ready, another important step in the job.

These matters of composition, pag make-up and press make-ready have been explained so that you will understand why the unit cost of only a few thousand catalogs is high compared to the unit cost of many thousands. After the initial investment has been made in composition and make ready, the cost per catalog drop rapidly as the number printed increases. The cost of composition and make-ready is practically the sam for 10,000 catalogs as for 100,000. At your mailing list increases, your catalog cost per unit should show a reduction.

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# Contact 9,800 Nurserymen at their Buying Time

From the reports on fall business appearing in the December issues of the AMERICAN NURSERYMAN, a record season was experienced and another record season is expected during the spring of 1958. Wholesalers and retailers, as well as garden shop owners, are all optimistic.

The optimism will be reflected throughout the winter months when hundreds of nurserymen in over 25 states will gather at their annual association conventions to buy and sell stock for meeting the rush of spring orders and to purchase supplies and equipment for shipping, planting, and resale. A portion of the many such meetings to be held are listed in the "Coming Events" column of this issue.

You can contact the hundreds who will attend these meetings—and the many more who stay at home—by advertising in the coming issues of the AMERICAN NURSERYMAN. The country over, nurserymen will follow these conventions through the complete reports carried in the AMERICAN NURSERYMAN. You can get their orders for stock, supplies and equipment by advertising during this important convention period. Your welltimed advertising to these nearly 10,000 leading nurserymen in the United States will support your other selling efforts and produce outstanding results for your firm.

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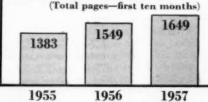
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Circulation of the American Nurseryman continues to climb, providing many additional prospects for advertisers each year. As 1957 draws to a close, the circulation figure is approaching 10,000-all bona fide members of the nursery industry with PAID subscriptions to the magazine.

# PAID ADVERTISING



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Do not try to cut costs by using cheap paper in your catalog. The saving in the cost of the paper will make little difference in the cost of the catalog, but will make a big difference in its appearance.

Some mail-order nursery businesses have been built without catalogs. These firms used the newspapers and magazines to carry on extensive advertising campaigns, offering specific items. The usual practice is to offer only one item in each advertisement. Thus the advertiser may have several ads in a single issue of the newspaper or magazine. The reader is urged to order direct from the ads.

There is a widespread impression that mail-order nursery stock is inferior merchandise. Of course this is erroneous. True, there are some mail-order nurseries that offer only poor stock at low price, but they are the exceptions. Our advice to you is to build your business on quality. Give your customers high-grade merchandise and charge a fair price for it and you will be building your business on the soundest possible basis.

Do not worry about competitors who may be underselling you. Price, taken alone, is a poor criterion by which to judge nursery stock. Poor stock that fails to grow or gives indifferent results is costly at any price. On the other hand, strong, healthy, well-graded trees, shrubs and plants can command good prices. There are plenty of people willing to pay fair prices for good stock.

## **Two Selling Policies**

Let us tell you about the experiences of two successful mail-order nurseries. One of them sells smallsize stock at low prices. The other offers only strong grades at much higher prices. Both have been operating for many years and cover much the same territory. Each mails out several hundred thousand catalogs every year. The first firm has such a big turnover among its customers that it must follow an intensive advertising program year after year in order to maintain its volume of business. The other company has been able to reduce its advertising budget materially without experiencing a falling off in business. Its customers are so well pleased that they buy year after year. Not only that, but they tell their friends and get them to order too. The facts bear out the cliche, "A satisfied customer is the best advertisement."

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is the question you will have to decide as part of your policy. If you cast about for advice, you can get all you want, pro and con. Both methods have strong advocates. All we shall attempt to do here is to present the arguments given for both

The larger mail-order houses of the country prepay practically all of the nursery stock that they offer. Their reason is simple: It is difficult, in fact almost impossible, to estimate accurately the weight of nursery stock packed for shipment. Because of this, they cannot tell their customers how much to include in their remittance for transportation. When all items are shipped prepaid, bookkeeping is simplified. It is not necessary to keep any records of postage or freight and express charges. When nursery stock is shipped prepaid, the purchaser knows exactly what it will cost when it is delivered to his

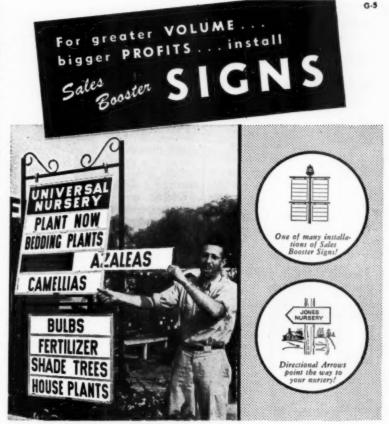
Mail-order nurseries that do not prepay their products point out that they can price their stock lower, and so the customer feels he is getting better values. Prepaid prices are unfair to customers living near the nursery; they pay just as much as the buyer who lives at a great distance.

## Varied Mailing Policy

Some nurseries combine both methods. The lighter plants and smaller sizes are shipped prepaid, while on the heavier trees and larger sizes, the purchaser pays the transportation. Prices may be prepaid within certain territorial limits or within a given distance from the shipping point. Shipments beyond such limits would not be prepaid.

You may be influenced somewhat by the practices of your competitors. If you are operating in a territory where most of the mail-order nurseries follow the practice of prepaying, it may be the best policy for you to do the same.

One of your most difficult jobs will be the pricing of items in your catalog. The usual tendency of beginners is to price too low. You must take into consideration all of the expenses involved in selling your products and getting them into the hands of your customers. In addition to the initial cost of the nursery stock, some of the expenses to be considered are advertising; printing and mailing catalogs; wrapping, packing and shipping orders; transportation expense (if you decide to prepay), and office overhead. Be sure you charge enough for your stock to cover these and all other



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### Guarantees

In order to make your position clear and to avoid misunderstanding with your customers, your catalog should state your policy in regard to guaranteeing nursery stock to grow. It is the opinion of the writer that there is no more reason for guaranteeing nursery stock to grow than there is to guarantee survival of a shipment of baby chicks or the germination of a package of cucumber seeds. If you send your customer good stock, well packed, your responsibility should end there, because you have no control over it after it leaves your hands. For all you know, its failure to grow may be because the package was left in the garage for two weeks or because the family goat was pastured

Regardless of your sentiments about guaranteeing nursery stock to grow, you are faced with the fact that it is a fairly well-established custom among mail-order nurserymen to make some sort of guarantee. These guarantees range all the way from free replacement to replacement at half price. Some of them do not go beyond delivery in good condition. For their own protection most nurserymen establish a deadline after which adjustments will not be made. We suggest that you study the guarantees of several mail-order nurserymen and then decide which suits you the best or displeases you the least.

The mail-order nursery business involves much detailed office work. This can be held to a minimum by planning the procedure carefully. Consider all the things that must be done to an order from the time it is received in your office until it has been filled. Outline the simplest and most logical procedure and instruct your office workers to follow this in handling the orders. Such a plan will make for efficiency and accuracy.

## Order Blanks

Your work will be greatly simplified if you send order blanks to your customers when you mail their catalogs. Of course, many folks will not use them, but most buyers will. On these order blanks provide spaces for all the information essential to the efficient handling of the orderdate, name, address, shipping station if different from post office, amount and form of money enclosed, quantity and varieties wanted, sizes, colors and prices. Send an envelope,

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Recording daily sales need not and should not be a complicated process. If your assortment is not too large, you can provide a place for every item on one or two large sheets. As these sheets fill up, transfer the totals to another sheet that shows only the cumulative totals or the total sales to date. You should compare the total sales frequently with your record of stock reserved. When your supply of any item is exhausted you can stop taking orders for it unless you know where you can get more at a price that will leave you a fair profit. These records will also show you when the sales of any varieties are lagging. Then you will have a chance to protect yourself by making an effort to sell the surplus in other ways.

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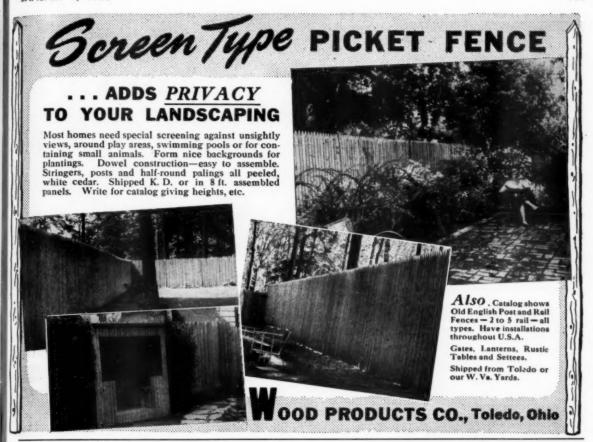
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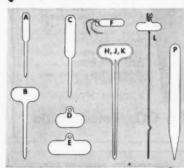
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There is a strong organization of mail-order nurserymen, known as the National Mail Order Nurserymen's Association. Membership in this should be of inestimable value to those engaged in selling nursery stock by mail.

# MINNESOTA SHORT COURSE

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ferred to experiments at Ohio State University, Columbus, with a broken corncob mulch, which was found best for winter protection. The least amount of temperature change occurred under this type of mulch. A large eastern nursery found sawdust best. Best results were obtained at the University of Minnesota by placing the canned stock in an unheated shed, where the temperature did not go below 15 degrees. Hybrid tea roses were injured by temperatures between 2 and 8 degrees.

Experiments in mulching on roses and pyramidal arborvitae were also made at the University of Minnesota, and it was discovered that dif-



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Another aspect investigated was the effect of late fertilizing on the survival of roses and arborvitae. On roses, phosphorus, potash and combinations of the two gave less injury than nitrogen alone or any combination having nitrogen in it. Phosphorus seemed to be better than potash. In arborvitae there was much difference between the treatments, although the phosphorus and the phosphorus potassium combination seemed to be the best.

## Landscape Design

L. Morgan Yost, Kenilworth, Ill., member of the American Institute of Architecture and past president of the Chicago chapter of that organization, talked on "The Relationship of Architecture and Landscape Design." Discussing the importance of the relationship between a building and its grounds, Mr. Yost said that gardens should be extensions of the house, office building,

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He reviewed the changes which have come about in home architecture and garden planning in the past 40 years. Service areas and garages now face the street, with living areas and gardens away from the passing traffic. Bedrooms should have their own private gardens, Mr. Yost said, and terraced garden areas should be planned as harmonious continuations of all living areas in



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the house. He cautioned that paved terraces should not be placed in front of west or south windows, as they will reflect the heat into the rooms behind them.

Mr. Yost believes that lawns are becoming less important; that more mass planting is being used. Gardens and landscaped areas are being planned for easier maintenance. Plant materials and lawn areas must be planned so that there is a mini-

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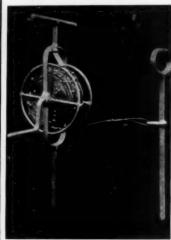
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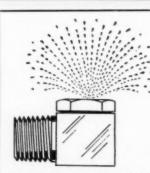
Mr. Yost illustrated his talk with colored slides that emphasized the transition between house and garden created by the use of trellises, glass, open overhangs and planting materials used in front of floor-length glass window walls. Views of a colorful California house with floors that do not meet the walls, but appear to float between planting areas inside the house created much interest, as did the slides illustrating gardens created to fit the area, feeling and period of various houses.

## **Outlines Control Programs**

Thor Aamodt, Minnesota state entomologist, described the mosquito control program being set up in Minnesota to cover about 3,000 square miles in six counties largest control area in the United States. A research program is being set up to keep the effort biologically sound, and it will be several years before beneficial effects will be noticeable. He also discussed the slow but sure advance of European and native bark beetles and Japanese beetles on Minnesota and outlined the measures which are being taken to protect the state from them.

G. Victor Lowrie, of the Minneapolis Men's Garden Club, gave a report on the Minnesota Aboretum, which the arboretum committee hoped to turn over to the University of Minnesota during the month of December. Mr. Lowrie said that the arboretum would be in a sound financial position within the next 30 days as a result of the





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generous gifts of various organizations, including the Minnesota Nurserymen's Association.

After luncheon in the Cardinal room of the Curtis hotel, Robert E. Hodgson, school and experiment station, Waseca, Minn., gave a humorous account of his experiences as an amateur grower of nursery stock. He made a plea for the development of hardy American and Chinese chestnut trees, black walnut, hickory, Persian walnut, ginkgo and cypress trees suitable to the Minnesota climate.

## Systemic Insecticides

Dr. L. K. Cutkomp, of the University of Minnesota department of entomology, reported that Systox, or demeton, is effective in controlling aphis and mites and can be used as a foliage spray, because it kills by contact. Its additional systemic effect, however, permits a longer kill than is obtained with malathion or parathion. This does not apply to larvae which feed on leaves. Systox has been approved for use on many crops and on some herbaceous types of ornamentals. Schradan or OMPA does not last so long as Systox and is not so effective against aphis and mites as Systox or some of the newer materials.

Thimet has a longer effect than Systox, but it oxidizes quickly in the air. Air movement seems to cause it to be ineffective, so that it is better to use it in seed treatment or soil treatment. Phosdrin is a systemic insecticide that also has a strong contact action, but it is short-lived. Unless it is particularly effective on some insect, it does not appear to be adequate.

Thimet, used at the rate of one pint of emulsion concentrate to 100 gallons of water and sprayed with a conventional type of hydraulic sprayer, will control the European elm scale, Dr. Cutkomp said. One pint of Thimet to 100 gallons of water was also effective against tent caterpillars, but is no better than DDT. Dr. Cutkomp cited the need for a more effective systemic insecticide — one which is not so dependent on oxidation and that will be more permanent in the plant at toxic levels.

## Nematodes

Dr. Herbert Johnson, extension pathologist at the University of Minnesota, said that the symptoms of nematodes are not always specific and can be confused with those of drought and nutrient troubles. Nematodes may hold down yields,



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weaken trees and cause them to have faulty fruit and may also cause stubby roots, discolored roots or root rot. There may be yellowing of leaves or wilting. Nematodes may sometimes be detected by an enlarging, circular area of injury in the crop. It is important, the speaker said, to be sure a nematode problem exists before attempting control measures, as procedures and methods are important and the cost may be as high as \$40 per acre on a broadcast basis.

Soil testing, at the present time a free service of the university. is important in deciding whether or not plants are infested with nematodes. The degree of infestation and the specific species can be ascertained in 12 to 16 hours by testing, and proper treatment can be advised.

## Soil Treatment

Good control can be effected on a broadcast basis in open soil and among established plants, Dr. Johnson said. It is better to treat the soil prior to planting. If unplanted ground can be treated in the fall, the material will destroy nematodes, and intervening winter permits the chemical to leave the soil. For spring treating, the temperature should be at least 50 degrees, and the grower should wait two weeks for the chemicals to leave the soil before planting. Tomato seedlings may be used to test the soil. If they live, the soil is ready for planting.

Nemagon may be used as a drench, mixed in proper concentration and soaked through the soil. A metering device on a plow may be used. Dr. Johnson also displayed a soil syringe for use on smaller plots or individual plants. Nursery crops are valuable enough so that it is best to treat them for nematodes to keep the situation from getting out of hand, since each female lays 300 eggs over the summer and an enormous population can build up in a relatively short time.

Dr. Harold S. Arneman, soil department, University of Minnesota, discussed the management of nursery soils. He stressed the importance of conserving and building up organic matter. This is particularly important to the nurseryman who balls his nursery stock, as this practice removes 10 to 40 per cent of the soil, depending on the size of the ball.

## Weed Control

Kenneth Blanchard, agronomist, state department of agriculture, reporting on "The Chemical Control

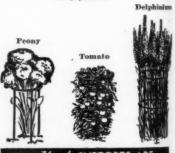


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of Weeds in Coniferous Nurseries," said that excellent results have been obtained from recent experiments. At the General Andrews conservation nursery at Willow River, Minn., trials were made of the tolerance of different species of conifers to amino triazole. Half-rod beds of black and white spruce, Scotch and white pine, jack pine, red pine, white cedar and balsam approximately 45 days old were plotted. Amino triazole was applied at the rates of one, two and three pounds per acre.

## Weed Control Results

At one pound per acre no injury occurred in black spruce, white spruce, red pine, jack pine, balsam and white cedar, but Scotch pine and white pine showed extensive whitening of terminal growth areas. the 2-pound application produced no injury on black spruce, white spruce, jack pine and balsam, but extensive injury occurred on red pine, Scotch pine, white pine and white cedar. The 3-pound rate pro-duced less that 5 per cent injury to white spruce and balsam but caused severe damage to all other species, with subsequent necrosis of the affected plant areas.

Amino triazole, at one and two pounds per acre, was applied to three species of 2 and 3-year-old conifers, white spruce, black spruce and red pine. The results were as follows: The 1-pound rate on both 2 and 3-year-old plants produced no injury on any of the species. The 2-pound rate on the 2-year-old plants produced no injury on the two spruce species and less than 10 per cent whitening of tip areas on red pine — and this only on smaller plants. The 2-pound rate on 3-year-old plants produced no injury on the spruce species, but about 50 per cent of the red pine showed a slight whitening on the lower portions of the terminal needles. Annual grass and broad-leaved weed control was good at the 1pound rate and excellent at the 2 and 3-pound rates.

## **Economical**

Pointing out the economy of amino triazole weed control, Mr. Blanchard said that three sprays of one pound per acre per year would cost about \$15 per acre, as compared with the cost of hand weeding, which runs into hundreds of dollars per acre.

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## A BUSMAN'S HOLIDAY

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to Paso Robles, an area noted for its almond orchards. This town is the location of Paso Robles hot springs, which were considered of medicinal value by the early padres. It is a picturesque village built in the Spanish style. Nearby is the San Miguel mission.

Leaving our motel on Wednesday, we visited the town of San Luis Obispo, where the old Spanish mission is located. This, too, is an impressive village, located inland about nine miles from the coast. We continued our travels to Shell Beach.

In the little community of Shell Beach, Calif., are located Nelson's Fuchsia Gardens, owned and op-erated by Harry G. Nelson. Eleven years ago Mr. Nelson started growing fuchsias as a hobby, and in 1948, because of the demands of the pub lic for his product, he established his attractive gardens. He has one large lath house, where some 500 varieties are growing in containers, and one small lath house.

We drove around the Shell Beach community and were amazed at the many homes which were attractively ornamented not only with Mr. Nelson's fuchsias but also with other annuals. A geranium hedge surrounded an apartment house.

Pismo Beach was reached in time for lunch. This community is known for its famous clams.

## Santa Maria Firm Visited

Still proceeding along Route 101, we arrived in early afternoon at Robert's Florist & Garden Center, owned by John Roberts, of Santa Maria. This garden center was & tablished in 1951 and is a well-organized enterprise that includes both a florists' shop and a typical garden center. Mrs. Edna Smith is manager of the florists' shop. A landscape service is provided for customers. All plant materials were in

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containers. There are five full-time employees at the center, whereas 40 to 50 men are employed on intensive landscape projects connected with the nursery

Featured in the flower shop were ceramics of all descriptions and cut flowers, including gladioli, roses, chrysanthemums, asters and stocks. Succulents and tropical plants were available for indoor planters. In the garden center the displays were attractively arranged. Bulbs and specialties in pet supplies were being offered.

Continuing south, we were impressed by the boulevard islands attractively planted with colorful geraniums and other annuals.

We had been informed that the area south of Santa Maria was filled with extensive flower seed farms. A sign at Buellton directed us to the quaint Danish village of Solvang. Being of Danish descent, I was particularly interested in seeing the numerous buildings that were replicas of types to be found in Denmark. We returned to the highway and passed many fields of colorful asters, zinnias and marigolds, and then drove on to Lompoc, located on Route 150.

## Lompoc-Seed Center

Lompoc, the largest seed-produc-ing county in the world, has thousands of acres of commercial flowers. which bloom from early spring until late fall. This is the main industry of the area, known as the Valley of Flowers. Although we did not stop to indulge, we understood that excellent fishing for steelhead salmon is to be found in the Santa Ynez

We drove leisurely down to Santa Barbara. There is located a beautiful county courthouse, an outstanding example of Spanish-style architecture. The city is also famed for its Botanic Gardens, Museum of Nat-ural History and Alameda park. For the first time we saw the extensive use of pyracantha as a hedge plant. The Mission Santa Barbara, established in 1786, is outstanding for its fine museum of Indian relics.

The San Rafael mountains, to our left, presented an inspiring effect as the sun passed below the horizon. To our right, thousands of sea gulls were assembled along the blue Pa-cific shore line. We arrived just at dark at the LaBaranca motel, Ventura. Ventura, the Poinsettia city, is situated among walnut and citrus groves. There, harvesting of the many acres of lima beans was in full blast.

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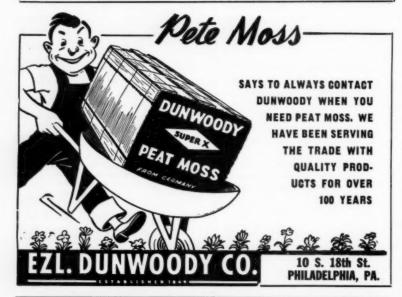
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perience with California "dew," which dissipated itself within a hour. Along the beautiful highwas we saw more marigold seed plots: acres of lima beans in rows, ready for shelling, and a lima bean harvester at work. Thousands of acres of citrus groves lined each side of the highway.

As we approached Santa Paula we noticed an attractive small nursery and garden center, called the Green Sprout Nursery, owned and operated by Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Wakeham. They established this business in April, 1956.

To the west of the attractive garden shop is a large patio and lath house, 16x220 feet, designed in an unusual horseshoe s h a p e. Many types of ornamentals (evergreen and deciduous), as well as perennials and roses, were attractively displayed in plant containers.

Mrs. Wakeham stated that size and her husband started, in 1952 to grow chrysanthemums, with only six plants as a nucleus. They now have 150 varieties on their 2½ acres and plan to expand their enterprise in the near future. The Wakehams assist the property owner in drawing home planting plans, which are given to him when purchasing plants with the idea that the buyer will do his own planting.

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The patio features several umbrella-covered tables, together with comfortable chairs, which provide relaxation for the prospective customer. To my mind this is one example of real public relations.

After a two hours' visit with Mrs. Wakeham, we journeyed on past Rancho Sespi, noted for its excellent Aberdeen Angus cattle, citrus fruits and avocados. We soon approached junction with the highway leading to Pasadena.

After lunch we started toward Pasadena. This section is filled with attractive homes and business establishments. We passed the North Foothill Nursery, where container goods were featured in an extensive lath house. A large farmer's market is in Pasadena proper. Pasadena, as most persons know, is where the Tournament of Roses and the annual Rose Bowl game are featured.

At Arcadia we were impressed by the many attractively landscaped homes, with spacious lawns covered entirely with ground cover plants, primarily varieties of ivy. Neathy trimmed, formal, pyracantha hedge were in evidence on many properties.

We continued on through Morrovia to our destination in Duarte, a new, thriving community, one of the many in the Los Angeles area.

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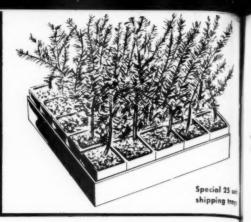
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